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'Reverse 911': ready to dial your number

■ Land-based telephone lines in West Sacramento and the region are automatically registered and ready to be called in an emergency. The system proved handy in the Southern California brushfires.

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

The "Reverse 911" program is in place in West Sacramento, and ready to call you if needed during an city emergency.

According to Jason Rizzi, Hazardous Materials Manager for the city fire department:

"This system allows you to identify an area you want, and call every phone number, either listed or unlisted, and send a message. Let's say you have a 'shelter in place' event where you want people to stay in their homes, close their windows and doors, and watch emergency communication channels. You could make hundreds of calls every hour from this system."

West Sacramento is part of a regional alliance, served by automated calling stations operated by the Sacramento police and sheriff's departments. These "servers" have access to all land-based phones – listed or unlisted – in West Sacramento.

"The unlisted phone numbers are held in a secure capacity, and they give those numbers to the Sacramento police and Sacramento sheriff," said Rizzi. There are backup facilities available in other parts of California and in the Midwest to handle "Reverse 911" duty if needed, he added.

A similar program was used to help give information and evacuation orders to some residents affected by the recent spate of brush fires in Southern California.

Here, "Reverse 911" could be used in an emergency such as a chemical spill, telling people in an affected area to stay indoors and close their windows. Or it could help get the word out that they should evacuate due to a flood danger.

"It's not going to replace going door to door or using a loudspeaker in the street," though, Rizzi added.

Has the system been tested?

"There are numerous tests that go on all the time," answered Rizzi.

Traditional "land line" telephones are automatically registered in the program, he explained. The system does not automatically work with cell phone numbers. Anyone wanting to sign up their cell phone or TTY (hearing-impaired phone) system in the local "Reverse 911" system can do so by visiting http://www.sacpd.org/reverse911.asp

According to the website administered by Sacramento's police department, "Reverse 911 will allow the police to call your home and give you information about public safety, such as missing persons in your area, street closures, weather related safety information, etc."

Evaluate options, but keep K-8, says WUSD boss

■ 'K-8' program remains on track despite lack of voter approval for funding by bond measure. New high school set to open December 2008, probably without a theater.

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

West Sacramento's school board hasn't officially decided whether to try to pass another bond measure after "Measure S" failed this month at the polls. But schools superintendent Steven Lawrence said he is not pushing for another bond measure soon.

His current "fallback" position is to continue with the district's strategy of converting elementary schools to absorb grades seven and eight – but to do it cheaper than if the bond had passed, and to make other cutbacks.

"Ultimately, it's the board's decision and not mine," said Lawrence. "We need to step back and see what the economy is looking like, and that will play seriously into what we are doing – there are levee improvement fees and growth issues."

Those concerns might affect the district's ability to get voter support for a school bond.

Meanwhile, Lawrence expects to continue converting schools to "K-8" campuses – but do it cheaper than what was planned if Measure S had passed.

"Everybody asked what 'Plan B' was during the bond campaign," Lawrence commented. "It was always to scale down and go with 'portables' (temporary classroom buildings). The board gave direction last March (to transition to K-8 schools), so we're still going forward with K-8. We're looking at how to do it with portables instead of permanent classrooms, and scaling back other things like not putting in a new gym at Elkhorn."

"Obviously, eventually we will need to go out for another bond to replace the portables and get the theater for the new high school."

As for the rest of the high school campus under construction near Linden Road and Jefferson Boulevard?

"The whole campus is all funded and paid for and moving forward," Lawrence told the News-Ledger. "In our (construction) contract, it says we will get the buildings in December of '08. It will be a mid-year opening."

The superintendent added that it is too late to get another bond measure onto the February local ballot, but June and November remain open to discussion.

"Measure S" proposed to raise $59 million for the Washington Unified School District, but drew only a little more than 50 percent voter approval on Nov. 7. It needed 55 percent.

Clean-up team



Alessya Yant, 16, and Diana Shevchenko, 19, hoist a 60-gallon trash bag near the beginning of a two-hour cleanup project on Sacramento Avenue on a recent Saturday afternoon. The two were part of a crew of youth group members from the Russian Baptist Church on Sacramento Avenue, working with Pastor Paul Khakimov to spruce up the neighborhood.

Courtesy of West Sacramento Parks Department

Sewage spill scare:

City suspends use of port pending water tests

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

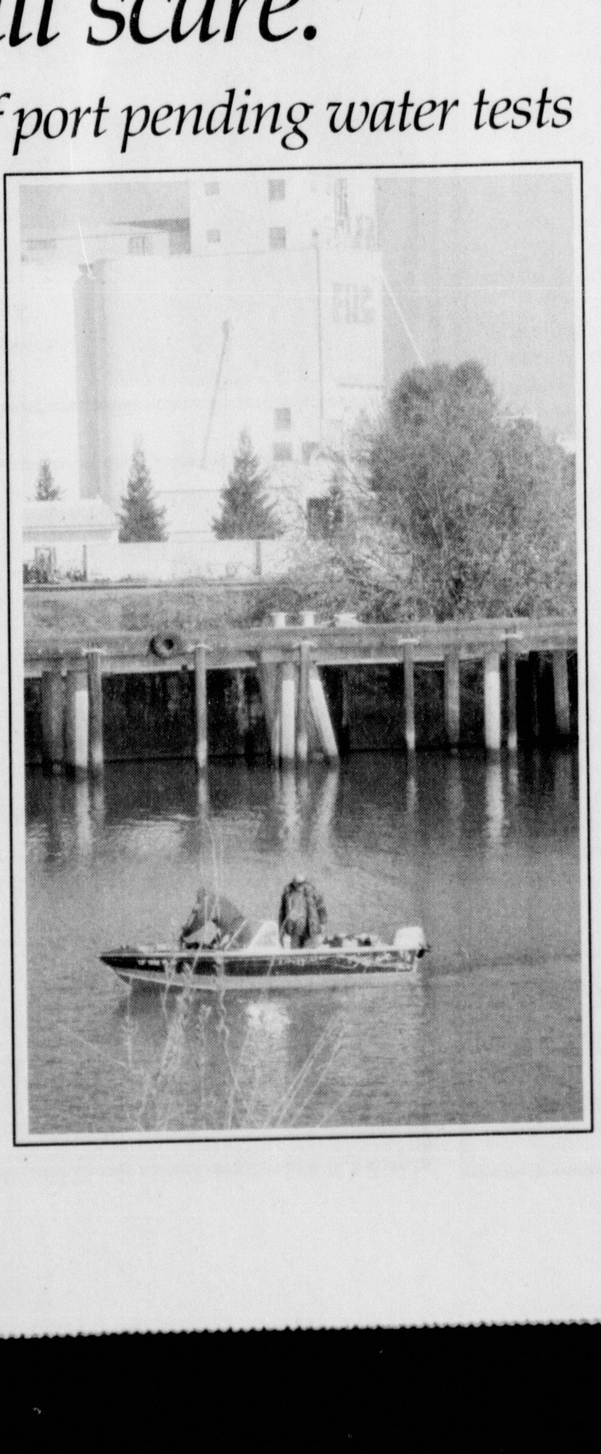
A sewage leak into the Port of Sacramento yesterday probably won't cause major problems, reports Greg Fabun, manager for the West Sacramento Public Works Department. The spill totaled a relatively small 9,400 gallons, he estimated.

The leak occurred at about 12:25 p.m., when workers replacing part of a local force main pipe unknowingly caused damage at their worksite near Park and Stone boulevards. They noticed the leak about a half hour later.

"It overflowed the ditch they were working on and rolled down a driveway," Fabun said. "Within about 10 feet of the driveway is a storm drain, and from there it entered the port right behind the old city hall on Stone Boulevard."

"I don't think it is much of a problem at all at the port," he continued. "We did post signs saying the water was

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RIGHT: Not everyone worried about the city's warnings not to fish or boat on the Port of Sacramento yesterday, as these fishermen showed

Witness says man speeding on levee before losing control

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

A man reported to be speeding along a fairly rough stretch of levee road Sunday evening was killed after his pickup truck flipped upside-down into the Port of Sacramento.

"This guy was driving up and down the channel, in excessive speeds of 80-100 miles per hour," said Division Chief Gary Fredericksen of the West Sacramento Fire Department. A fisherman witnessed the driving and called 9-1-1 when the Ford F-150 or F-250 pickup truck went out of control at about 6:30 p.m.

"It went in approximately 300 yards west of the Palamidessi Bridge (on Lake Washington Blvd.), on the south side of the deep water channel. The vehicle was upside-down in approximately four feet of water, with a crushed roof."

The local DART (Diving Accident Rescue Team) joined firefighters, police and a CHP helicopter (which provided light) in the rescue operation, finding 23-year old Russell Bernard Sink of Rancho Cordova trapped inside the submerged vehicle.

A tow truck pulled the vehicle out, and Sink was removed and taken by ambulance to a Sacramento hospital. He was pronounced dead at about 7:13 p.m.

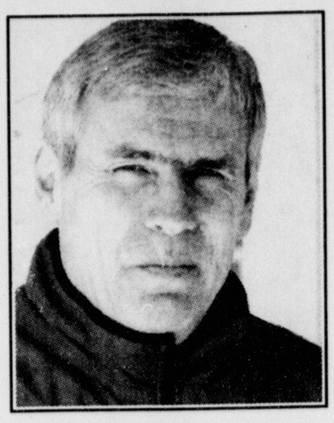
The Yolo County Sheriff/Coroner's office said Sink drowned.

Free flu shots

The Yolo County Health Department recommends flu shots, and will sponsor a free shot clinic for anyone 6 months old or older. Visit the Russian Baptist Church at 1000 Sacramento Avenue in West Sacramento between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Sat., Dec. 8, for a free flue vaccine shot. People especially at risk from complications from the flu include senior citizens, pregnant women, young children, residents of nursing homes and other care facilities, health care workers, those with chronic medical conditions, and caretakers of kids or the elderly. For information on the clinic, call (530) 666-8645. For information about the flu, visit www.cdc.gov/flu.

A new medical breakthrough for men

My Back Pages



By Daryl Fisher

As you know, this column prides itself on leaving no stone unturned when it comes to passing along vital information to the citizens of West Sacramento, and as I write this, I have just been informed of the somewhat shocking results of a major new medical investigation out of Germany. The most striking finding of the study, entitled "An Eyeful a Day Keeps the Doctor Away", states that "researchers have discovered that a 10-minute ogle at women's breasts is as healthy for a man as spending half-an-hour in the gym."

The study, carried out by Dr. Karen Weatherby and published in the New England Journal of Medicine, took five years to complete and examined over 200 men. It discovered that when men looked at busty beauties for at least 10 minutes a day, they had lower blood pressure, less heart disease, and slower pulse rates at rest.

"Just 10 minutes of staring at the charms of a well-endowed female is roughly equivalent to a 30-minute aerobics workout," explained Dr. Weatherby, "and our study indicates that engaging in this activity on a daily basis cuts the risk of stroke and heart attack in half and also extends the life span of an average man by four or five years."

After reading the article, I of course immediately picked up my telephone at work and dialed the number of a longtime friend (I'll call him Tom) who spends at least three nights a week at a very expensive downtown Sacramento gym working as hard as he possibly can to keep his heart in good shape. He also endlessly harangues me about the fact that I need to start getting serious about my own exercise routine or I'm going to drop dead.

"Hey, Tom, you know how you keep yelling at me to join that big fancy gym of yours?"

"Yeah."

"And how you keep telling me that if I want to live as long as you plan to, I need to get into aerobic exercising and stop spending so much of my free time just leisurely walking around my neighborhood?"

"Yeah, what about it?"

"And how I also need to own up to the fact that when it comes to exercising, it really is a matter of `no pain, no gain'?"

"Yeah, I've told you all that at least a hundred times."

"Well," I said, "what if I was to tell you that you could dramatically cut back on all that sweating and grunting and groaning you do at the gym and still have lower blood pressure, less chance of getting heart disease, and a slower pulse rate?"

"And just how would I go about doing that?" Tom asked with interest.

"Well, I've just come across this brand new medical study that says that all a guy really has to do to stay in reasonably good shape heart-wise is ogle women's breasts for ten minutes or so a day on a pretty regular basis."

When Tom finally stopped laughing, I added, "Hey, I'll have you know that this study is legit -- it's been published in the New England Journal of Medicine."

"So, did you read the actual study?" asked Tom.

"No, just a newspaper article about it."

"And did the article say anything about how the study was put together?"

"What do you mean?"

"Well, did it give any specifics about how the men in the study went about doing their ogling?"

"No, not really, but I'm assuming the people doing the investigation just hired some women with big breasts and let the men in the study ogle them for ten minutes at a time -- under the watchful eye of trained scientists of course."

"But didn't you ask yourself how that would actually work in the real world? I mean, are you going to stop some poor woman in a shopping mall or something and ask her if you can ogle her for ten minutes because it's supposed to be good for your heart?"

"You do have a point there," I admitted. "In fact, all the big-breasted women I know don't like to be ogled for ten seconds, much less ten minutes."

"My point exactly."

"Maybe they had the guys in the study just look at girly magazines or something?"

"Well," said Tom with emphasis, "I'm too old to be doing that, so I think I'll just stick with going to the gym three nights a week like you should be doing. Plus I definitely don't buy into the part of the study that said it would increase a man's life span by four or five years."

"Why not?"

"Because if my wife ever caught me ogling someone other than her, my life span would immediately drop to zero!"

Something to catch your interest, at local library

The Arthur F. Turner Branch Library has received the following new books:

"Why Does Santa Wear Red?:...and 100 Other Christmas Curiosities Unwrapped" by Meera Lester.

"The Weekend Small Business Start-Up Kit: Your Step-by-Step Guide to Get Your Business Up and Running Fast and to Start Making Money" by Mark Warda.

"Action Anatomy: For Gamers, Animators, and Digital Artists" by Takashi Iljima.

"The Rosetta Stone and the Rebirth of Ancient Egypt" by John Ray.

"Beyond the White House: Waging Peace, Fighting Disease, Building Hope" by Jimmy Carter.

"How to Start a Home-Based Gift Basket Business" by Shirley George Frazier.

The library will be closed on Monday December 3 for staff training. Call 375-6465 for information and library hours.

Obituaries

Victor H. Bakarich Sr.

Victor Bakarich passed away at the age of 72 in Woodland on November 20, 2007. He was the beloved father of Juliana (Marlin) Coulombe and Victor (Dawn) Bakarich Jr.; the dear brother of Michael Bakarich, Claire Caplis, Philip (Mary) Bakarich and Lili Ann Metzer; and the devoted grandfather of Cody, Chelsea, Cody, Steven and Maci. He is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews, and was preceded in death by his parents, Michael and Sara.

Victor was a lifelong resident of West Sacramento and an active member of the West Sacramento Elks, Lodge #2529, Scepter Lodge #808 F&AM and the Ben Ali Shrine. His passion was fishing, but he loved all sports, especially football and baseball. He served his country in both the Army and Navy and retired after 40 years in the auto parts industry.

Memorial services were held on November 27, 2007 in the River Cities Funeral Chapel in West Sacramento.

Elizabeth Ann Freeman (Conwell)

Elizabeth Freeman was born on February 14, 1952 and passed away peacefully on November 14, 2007 after a courageous battle against cancer. She was the loving mother of Shannon Gentry (Cliff), Kevin Freeman, and Gregory Freeman; the wonderful sister of Carolyn Venditti, Eileen Conwell, Gayle Bohlmann and Wayne Conwell; and the extraordinary Nana of Jaelyn Freeman, Kory Gentry and Desiree Gentry. She will also be missed by Michael Freeman, her former husband of 25 years. Beth was preceded in death by her parents, Irvin and Patricia Conwell; her son, Gregory Allen; and her god-daughter, Sienna Monique Castro.



Beth was a 1970 graduate of Washington High School in Broderick and an employee of Sacramento County for over 17 years. She was also an avid sports fan and the biggest supporter of numerous family members. Her warm, giving heart and compassionate spirit will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her.

A memorial service was held at the West Sacramento City Hall Galleria on November 20, 2007. A private burial will be held at a later date.

Deborah Macias

Deborah Macias passed away at the age of 46 in Sacramento on November 24, 2007. She was the beloved wife of 27 years to Daniel R. Macias Sr.; the dear daughter of Frances Reese; the loving mother of Daniel R. Macias Jr. (Keysic), Anthony R. Macias and Andrea Rushton (Hiroshi); the dear sister of Lisa Kollner (Tim), Keith Reese, Kevin Reese (Christine) and Denise Reese (Russell); and the devoted grandmother of Anthony, Kayla and Daniel III. She is also survived by numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends, and was preceded in death by her father, Keith Reese.

Deborah was a lifelong resident of West Sacramento and a devoted volunteer teacher for 18 years with the burden to teach the ABC's Class at River City Christian Academy of West Sacramento. She was a giving and caring person who was always encouraging others. Her life touched many; her students, family and friends and she will be remembered as a strong pillar of RCA who kept the faith until the end. She will be loved and missed by all.

Friends and family are invited to attend memorial services on December 1, 2007 at 2:30 p.m. in the River City Apostolic Church, 1205 Merkley Avenue in West Sacramento. Private inurnment. In lieu of flowers please send donations to River City Christian Academy, 1205 Merkley Avenue, West Sacrament, CA 95691. Arrangements were handled by River Cities Funeral Chapel of West Sacramento.

Fanny Staps

Fanny Staps passed away in Sacramento on November 22, 2007. She was the loving wife of the late Richard Staps Sr.; the beloved mother of Debbie Staps-Talani; the devoted grandmother "Oma" of Christopher and Monica Talani; and is also survived by numerous family members in Germany and the U.S. She was preceded in death by her son, Richard Staps Jr.

Friends are invited to attend memorial services on November 29, 2007 at 1 p.m. in the River Cities Funeral Chapel in West Sacramento. Private inurnment will take place in Germany.

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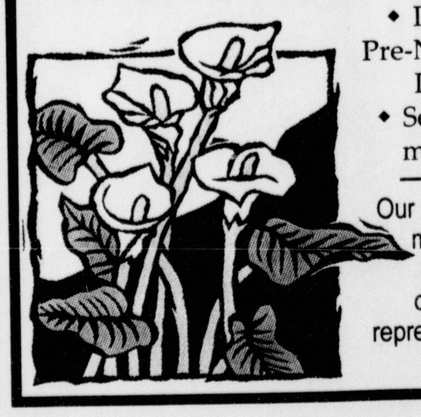
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Firefighters' annual 'Santa Run' returns soon:

The West Sacramento Fire Department, in conjunction with the West Sacramento Firefighter's Association, is preparing for the annual "Santa Run" through West Sacramento. With the help of many off-duty firefighter "elves," Santa will be riding through various neighborhoods on an elaborately decorated fire truck "sleigh" and handing out candy canes purchased and donated by the West Sacramento Firefighter's Association. Additionally, Santa will have a pickup truck following his "sleigh" with helpers collecting any canned food donations for the needy.

The West Sacramento Firefighter's Association invites you to make a donation of canned food during their visit.

A firefighters' association representative also expressed appreciation to West Sacramento Fire Chief Frederick Postel and City Manager Toby Ross for permitting the use and decoration of the ladder truck for this annual tradition.

This year the Santa Run is scheduled for six nights beginning at 6:00 p.m. each night. Santa will be in the following areas on these dates:

Monday, December 10th: **Broderick and Bryte area** on some of the following streets: Fremont, Douglas, Andrew, Sixth, Cummins, Anna, Kegle, Carrie,Lisbon, North Hobson, and Fourness.

Tuesday, December 11th: **North Business 80** on some of the following streets: Pine, Palomar, Marigold, Doran, Garnet, Green meadow, Evergreen, Sycamore, Buckeye, Poplar, Proctor, Willow, Rockrose, Chaparral, Lilac, Manzanita, Washington, Oxford, Michigan, Maple, Walnut, Holly, Pecan.

Wednesday, December 12th: **Old West Sacramento** following streets: Deerwood, Lakewood, Fernwood, Sonora, Haverhill, Meadow, Webster, Virginia, Alabama, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland.

Thursday, December 13th: **Southport North East** following streets: Kinsington Aster, Manchester, Gateway, Sausalito, Sansome, Hearst, Randolf, Mojave, Merced, Rubicon, Ironwood, Spruce, Redwood, Alder, Lime wood, Almond, Peppertree, Peachtree.

Friday, December 14th: **Southport South West** Following streets: Independence, Lagoon, Meadowlark, Starling, Sandpiper, Pheasant Hollow, Duet, Constitution, Summerfield, Jacquelyn, Janet, Betty, Shirley, Leslie, Diane, Brenda, Kathy, Nancy, Violet, Mareca, Teal, Canvasback, Pitzer, Allen.

Monday, December 17th : **Southport West** (Bridgeway Island) including: Cayman, St. John, Martinique, St.croix, Haiti, Swan, Suisun, Ryer, Catalina, Santa Cruz, Half Moon Bay, Cooper, Fiji, Bowen, Solomon Stuart,Graham, San Salvador, Abaco, Bridgeway Lakes, Henshaw, Eagle, Lewiston, Tahoe, Coyote.

'Across the Bridge': Events around the region

Pony Express Xmas ride

A Pony Express Christmas Card Ride will be held on December 8th outside the Gold Rush History Center, 101 "I" Street in Old Sacramento. Pony Express riders will take off at 10 a.m. towards Folsom with a saddlebag full of holiday greeting cards. Arrive early to purchase your own postcard and postage for only $.50. For more information go to www.thediscovery.org.

SCC music concert

The Sacramento City College music department will present its Fall Applied Music Recital on December 11th at noon in the SCC Little Theatre, Room A6. Participants in the recital are SCC music students and they will be performing solos and ensemble pieces. Admission is free.

SCC is located at 3835 Freeport Boulevard in Sacramento. For more information call 558-2515.

Grandma Moses

The Crocker Art Museum will be displaying works of Grandma Moses until January 6, 2008. Her nostalgic scenes of rural and family life have captured hearts and imaginations around the world for decades. The museum is located at 216 O Street in Downtown Sacramento. For information about admission costs and museum hours, call 264-5423 or visit crockerartmuseum.org.

Down syndrome information

The Down Syndrome Information Alliance Education Series features programs on the first Tuesday of each month with the hope of improving the knowledge of individuals and families affected by Down syndrome. Experts in education, advocacy, health care, etc., make presentations and a free light dinner and childcare is provided. The Down Syndrome Information Alliance meets at the Sutter Cancer Center, 2800 L Street in Sacramento. For more information, call 658-1686 or visit www.downsyndrome-info.org.

Alzheimer's society meets

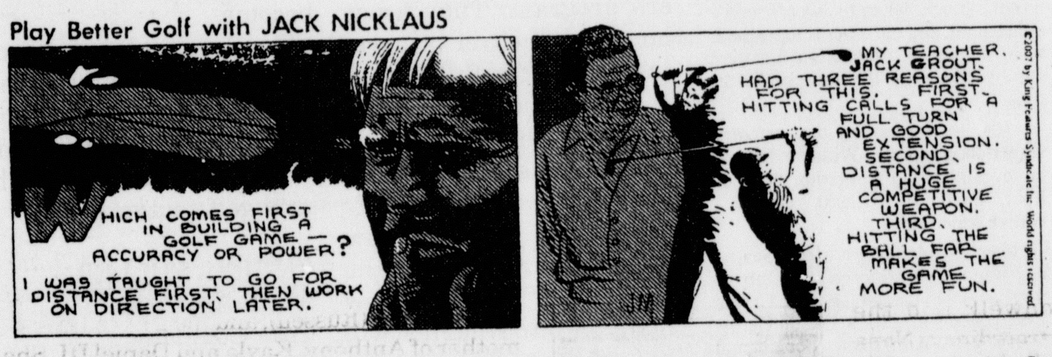
The Alzheimer's Aid Society of Northern California Support Group for the Memory Impaired will meet the 2nd and 4th Wednesday in November at 10:30 a.m. at the Alzheimer's Aid Society Office, 2641 Cottage Way, Suite #4 in Sacramento. For more information on other related groups and meetings, call 448-7001.

Widowed persons meet

The Widowed Persons Association of California encourages widowed men and women to come to Sunday Support get-togethers each Sunday from 3-5 p.m. at the Widowed Persons Association office, located at 2628 El Camino Avenue, Suite D-18.

Activities include bowling, brown bag opera, needle and thread, breakfasts, dinners, golf, card games, dancing and traveling. There is also a Newcomer's Buffet and Social on the third Monday of every month at 5:30 p.m. at the Plaza Hoff Brau on the corner of El Camino and Watt Avenues. For more information, call 972-9722.

Play Better Golf with JACK NICKLAUS





1. FIRSTS: Who was the first African-American appointed to the U.S. Supreme Court?
2. GAMES: How many numbered balls are used in billiards?
3. GEOGRAPHY: What country lies directly east of Norway?
4. HISTORY: In what year did the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. lead the march on Selma, Ala.?
5. WEATHER: What kind of clouds produce rain or snow?
6. MUSIC: Which guitarist/singer played in rock groups such as Cream, Blind Faith and Derek and the Dominoes?
7. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which U.S. president married a distant cousin?
8. MEDICAL: What is a hemostat
9. ANIMAL WORLD: What is a Lipizzaner?
10. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: In what country did the bongos (drums) originate?

Answers

1. Thurgood Marshall
2. 15 numbered balls and a white cue ball
3. Sweden
4. 1965
5. Nimbus clouds
6. Eric Clapton
7. Franklin D. Roosevelt, who married Eleanor Roosevelt. They were fifth cousins, once removed.
8. Clamp used in surgery
9. A breed of horse
10. Cuba

Sports QUIZ

by Chris Richcreek

1. Who was baseball's last rookie of the year before Eric Hinske in 2002 to be acquired by trade before he won the award?
2. Did Pete Rose have a winning record while managing in the major leagues?
3. In 1994, Miami's Dan Marino became the second quarterback in NFL history to toss 300 career touchdown passes. Who was the first?
4. When was the last time before 2007 that Georgetown's men's basketball team won the Big East tournament?
5. Since the Stanley Cup began being awarded to only NHL teams in 1927, how many franchises have won it?
6. Name the first African-American swimmer to win an Olympic medal for the U.S.
7. Who was the last back-to-back American winner of golf's U.S. Women's Open?

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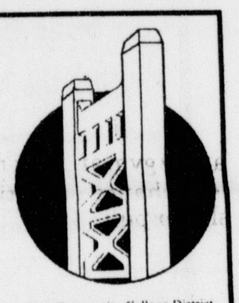
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For more information, call Rebuilding Together at (916) 455-1880, extension 0. Or visit www.rebuildingtogether-sacramento.org.

LETTERS from p. 7

others in our community, because they are perceived as being unwilling to be impartial. It's interesting to me that the real push for total K-8 conversion came on the heels of a struggle with teachers over compensation.

Some parents in our community fear the unknown of sending their children to GSMS. I feel that Dr. Lawrence and the school board capitalized upon that fear in order to save money. If not, wouldn't they have taken the lessons, and examples, from across the country to ensure they were converting the right way? They are defying every warning given about doing this conversion the wrong way.

My seventh grader is going to a middle school with about 25 students per class. She has a PE class, in which she can change into PE clothes for physical activity. She has a science lab. She is in a leadership program that is training her how to be an effective leader of a large group, in a large student body of her peers (not elementary students). She is there with two other previous WUSD students. They are able to be academically challenged in a well-established, functioning middle school honors program. They know how to maneuver a larger campus successfully.

I know of quite a few other students who left our district this past year in order to attend two other middle schools. I wonder how many more will leave in the future? I wonder how many of our students will be, not just academically, but emotionally and socially prepared for our new high school, their ninth grade year?

I take full responsibility for my "no" vote on Measure S, but I take no responsibility for any repercussions -- that lies squarely on the shoulders of Dr. Lawrence and our school board.

SABRENA DIXON
West Sacramento

Supporting Yarbrough

I just learned that the proposed Yarbrough community will be presented to the West Sacramento Planning Commission on Thursday, December 6 and am pleased to see the wheels of progress turning again in our fine city. As the branch manager and an escrow officer in a local title company office, I have witnessed the struggling real estate market first-hand and know the difference a quality new community such as Yarbrough will have on our city and, most important, our real estate values.

I'm doubly pleased to see the new 18-hole public golf course that is planned for Yarbrough. Coupled with the additional retail and entertainment options the community will bring, it is easy to envision the quality asset Yarbrough will become.

Thank you, planning commission, for bringing this project to the forefront. Let's keep moving forward -- I've got a tee time at the new golf course!

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Thought for the Day: "No matter how rich you become, how famous or powerful, when you die the size of your funeral will still pretty much depend on the weather." — *Michael Pritchard*

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When you know you are doing your very best within the circumstances of your existence, applaud yourself!
—Rusty Berkus

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PORT from p. 1

contaminated and asking people not to use the waterway."

The state Regional Water Quality Control Board ordered that the city obtain water samples both near the discharge site and farther "downstream" to the west. As of yesterday afternoon, Fabun's office was waiting for the results of tests designed to show the presence of the bacteria *coliform*, which is an "indicator" of the presence of raw sewage.

"We're cautioning people not to refrain from (boating and fishing) until the samples show that coliform is down to the normal 'background' levels," he said.

When that happens, the city will announce that the waterway appears as clean as usual.

Yesterday evening, a city spokesperson announced that samples taken Monday evening showed contamination near the spill site (but not upstream or downstream). New samples were taken yesterday evening, and results were expected to be available this morning.

The port is connected by a set of rarely-opened locks to the Sacramento River, but little water flows through those locks. The port and channel do experience some ebb and flow from tidal action, but overall it's "almost stagnant with really no appreciable current," said Fabun.

The sewage leak wasn't related to the Lower Northwest Interceptor pipeline project which carries sewage from Sacramento's Natomas area through West Sacramento to Sacramento's regional treatment center in Elk Grove, said Fabun.

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Strange BUT TRUE

By Samantha Weaver

• In Japan in 2000, a survey was conducted to determine what the Japanese people thought was their best invention of 20th century. With their history of technological innovation, you might think they would come up with something robotic, or perhaps one of the numerous Japanese cars that now cruise on roads all over the world. But you'd be wrong. The respondents decided that Japan's best invention of the past 100 years was ramen noodles — and starving college students probably wouldn't disagree. Runners-up in the survey were karaoke and the Sony Walkman.

• It was author Cecilia Bartholomew who made the following observation about the practice of her craft: "Writers have two main problems. One is writer's block, when the words won't come at all, and the other is logorrhea, when the words come so fast that they can hardly get in the wastebasket in time."

• It's been reported that country singer-songwriter Willie Nelson believes he's had numerous previous lives, including at least one as a Native American.

• If you're planning a trip to Seattle next summer, try to go in early July so you can catch the annual Milk Carton Derby. Yep, I said Milk Carton Derby. Every year, participants design and build boats entirely out of milk cartons, then race them on Green Lake, competing for $10,000 in prizes.



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THIS IS A HAMMER

By Samantha Mazzotta

Prepping Your Home's Heating System

Q. Last year, you published a list of steps to ready a home heating system for the winter. Can you print that list again? — *Norma S., Birmingham, Ala.*

A. Sure. A little maintenance of your home heating system goes a long way in terms of efficiency and the lifespan of the unit, so taking these few steps at the beginning of the heating season will save you money in the long run.

Forced-air systems generally run on oil or natural gas, though some are all-electric. They work by heating air in a furnace chamber and then distributing it throughout the house via a blower or fan and an air-duct system. Maintaining this kind of system is as simple as keeping certain parts dust and debris-free. At the start of the season, do the following:

• Clean the blower/fan by turning the unit off completely, opening the fan compartment (through an access door, or by removing the nearest furnace panel) and cleaning the fan blades with a bottle brush. Vacuum the compartment if possible.

• Inspect the fan belt on the blower motor, if the unit has one. Replace a worn belt. If the belt gives more than 1/3 inch when pressed, tighten or loosen the bolt to increase tension.

• Lubricate the blower motor, unless the unit is self-lubricating. Non-self-lubricating motors have oil ports at one or both ends; squirt four to six drops of SAE 10W30 oil into the ports.

• Inspect all visible air ducts, checking for visible damage and loose connections. Patch or replace damaged sections.

• Remove the grill covers from air registers and vacuum the interior to remove household dust.

• Most importantly, change the air filter. This should be done every month during the season to minimize dust and allergens entering your home's living spaces.

In addition to this seasonal maintenance, a system check by a professional service should be done about every two years, or annually if you cannot access the blower compartment.

Send questions or home-repair tips to homeguru2000@hotmail.com, or write This Is a Hammer, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

home tip

Insulate exposed ductwork, such as that in crawlspaces, to improve heating efficiency and save money.

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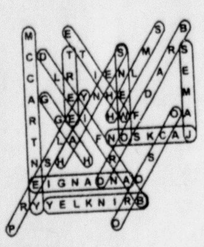


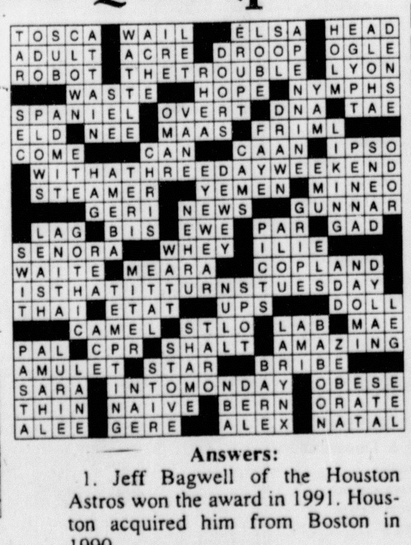
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Answers to puzzles (p. 8) and Sports Quiz (p. 3)





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1	3	7	6	5	4	9	8	2
7	8	5	4	3	9	2	6	1
6	9	3	5	2	1	8	7	4
2	1	4	7	8	6	3	5	9
4	7	2	3	6	5	1	9	8
3	5	1	9	7	8	4	2	6
8	6	9	1	4	2	7	3	5

Go Figure!
answers

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x		+		–	
1	+	8	+	7	16
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Answers:

1. Jeff Bagwell of the Houston Astros won the award in 1991. Houston acquired him from Boston in 1990.
2. Yes. Rose was 412-373 for a 52.5 winning percentage.
3. Frank Tarkenton, who tossed 342 TD passes. Marino ended with 420 TD passes.
4. It was 1989.
5. In 2007, Anaheim became the 19th franchise to win the Stanley Cup.
6. Anthony Ervin won a gold medal in 2000 in the 50-meter freestyle.
7. Betsy King in 1989-90.

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Differences: 1. Mom's hair is different. 2. Doll on left has been moved. 3. "Sale" sign is added. 4. Girl's skirt has ruffle. 5. Doll ad is different. 6. Girl has hair bow.



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POLICE LOG

Nov. 20, 7:15 p.m.
A dog was reported stolen from Pecan Court.

Nov. 20, 1:34 a.m.
A check cashing establishment on Jefferson Boulevard reported that someone had pried open the front door and robbed the cash safe.

Nov. 21, 12:59 p.m.
An audible alarm was reported at Westlake Drive. A call by police to the address drew no answer. Two further "panic alarm" signals were reported by the alarm company, which requested a visit by an officer to the location.

Nov. 21, 8 p.m.
A Touchstone Place resident reported a car burglary.

Nov. 21, 11:29 a.m.
The CHP Academy on Reed Avenue told West Sacramento police that it would be training dogs for explosives work, and some demonstration explosions would occur.

Nov. 22, 3 a.m.
On the 800-block of Harbor Boulevard, four suspects approached a man in a parking lot and took his vehicle keys. One fled with the vehicle.

Nov. 22, 3:01 p.m.
Police assisted firefighters at a call involving "flames coming out of the oven" at a home on Janet Drive.

Nov. 22, 6 p.m.
A woman reported that her car had been burglarized in the parking lot of a bar on the 2400-block of West Capitol Avenue.

Nov. 23
A north-area man said he was sleeping in bed when his 41-year old wife hit him in the head with an object. He had a gash in his head and told police he was losing consciousness. He was given medical attention and the woman was arrested.

Nov. 23, 5:02 p.m.
A woman reported that she had been using an ATM machine on the 900-block of Jefferson Blvd. After she got her cash, a suspect followed her to her car, pushed her down and tried to take her money before he finally fled. Police couldn't locate the suspect.

Nov. 23, 10:20 p.m.
An officer checked the database for the license plate of a Honda Accord seen on Sutter Street, and learned that the plate should have been on a Toyota instead. The officer stopped the suspect vehicle and found that the passenger was on searchable probation. A police dog found 1.7 grams of methamphetamine hidden in the dashboard. A 33-year old local man was arrested.

Nov. 23, 11:05 p.m.
A Topaz Road resident reported that a tenant stole a computer.

Nov. 24, 11:31 a.m.
An officer following a vehicle saw a 33-year old male passenger exit it on Rockrose Road and flee on foot. The driver identified the individual, and said he ran because the parole office was looking for him. The suspect was found nearby. He admitted having used methamphetamine recently and said he had run because he had become paraonoid. He had jewelry in his possession. He was booked.

Nov. 24, 10:02 p.m.
Officers tried to stop a 22-year old Sacramento man for vehicle code violations on Water Street. The subject failed to yield to lights and siren at first, but finally stopped and was detained. A probation search turned up a loaded handgun. The suspect was a validated gang member with a felony conviction – not allowed to have a gun. He was arrested.

Nov. 25, 9:34 a.m.
An officer contacted a 21-year old man in a Lighthouse Drive parking lot. The man was on parole and was found in possession of methamphetamine, marijuana, a drug pipe, a "shaved" vehicle key, a digital scale, baggies, and two booklets of blank cashier's checks. He was arrested on drug charges and possession of burglary tools.

Nov. 25, 4:59 p.m.
A 32-year old Plumas Lake woman was stopped for a vehicle code violation near Reed and Harbor. She was found in possession of methamphetamine and paraphernalia, and was arrested.

Nov. 25, 5:02 p.m.
Police stopped a 35-year old Garnet Street woman for a vehicle code violation. She was on searchable probation. A search turned up 3.5 grams of methamphetamine and a drug pipe. She was arrested.



A Man of Peace

Paul Tibbets died recently. He was 92.

He asked to have neither funeral nor headstone because he didn't want to give those who opposed him and all he stood for a place to stage demonstrations.

He wanted to be cremated and scattered over the ocean. He said the hours he spent flying over its endless emptiness were the most peaceful he would ever know.

Paul Tibbets was a man of peace.

There are those who would say that couldn't possibly be true. At age 30, Paul Tibbets was the man who, on Aug. 6, 1945, flew the B-29 bomber he named after his mother — the Enola Gay — over the Japanese city of Hiroshima and unleashed an atomic firestorm. It would instantly destroy upward of 70,000 lives and ultimately result in the demise of countless others in the deadly aftermath.

There are those who say it was an immoral, inhumane and horrific thing to do, and no one who participated could possibly love peace.

Right or wrong, it ended a war.

Paul Tibbets was born on Feb. 23, 1915. His father, a successful merchant, wanted his son to be a doctor. His son, however, loved airplanes. He was a medical student at the University of Cincinnati when he enlisted in the Army Air Corps in 1937. He would eventually retire a brigadier general in 1966.

Much as did thousands of other veterans, Tibbets lived on after the war. He worked for an international air-taxi service and retired as its president in 1987. He was married to wife Andrea for more than 51 years.

Tibbets mostly declined interviews and public appearances. While he lived and worked quietly and successfully, urban myths abounded that he had committed suicide, was insane and institutionalized, was a drunkard, or sentenced to life in prison.

A rare interview Tibbets gave to Mike Harden in 2005, during the 60th anniversary commemoration of the Hiroshima bombing, gave a glimpse into his ultimate mindset. Notoriety was getting old, he said, "but then so am I."

He said he just didn't want to hear another reporter ask, "Any regrets?" because there were none — he did what he did because he felt it was the best choice in an array of really bad ones.

He couldn't understand people asking if he thought what he had done was immoral. "War itself is immoral," Tibbets said. Starting from that premise there is no good in it whether it affects one person or an entire nation.

He said we should be glad that our nation was the one given the upper hand at that moment. It could have ended very differently.

Paul Tibbets lived out his last days in a comfortable home with his wife, a cherry tree in the front yard and a Chihuahua dog named Lolita, quite a contrast to the young pilot who, on that fateful summer morning, had breakfast with his crew, then stuffed his pockets with a few cigars and a pillbox of cyanide capsules — in case they were forced down over enemy territory.

Observers said, in his last days, that he faced the prospect of joining his comrades who had died before him with the same unwavering strength of character and peace of mind that had carried him through life.

He would say, with some irony, "The guys who appreciated that I saved their asses are mostly dead now."

Many, perhaps, but certainly not all.

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Salome's Stars

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Start preparing now to make sure you get the credit you're due for all that effort you put in to get that project off the ground. A new challenge emerges after the 15th.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You're still charging full steam ahead on the job — and that's fine. But take time to share the joy of preparing for the upcoming holidays with folks you love.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) A former detractor resists joining your ranks just yet. Give him or her time to learn more about what you're doing. Meanwhile, devote more time to friends and family.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Be careful not to be goaded into a tiff by someone who might be looking for a fight. Remain cool as you make your exit. Be assured that others will rally to your support.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Kudos on getting the well-deserved Lion's share of the rewards for a job well-done. Now you can take a breather from your workaday duties and spend time with your family.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) You enjoy a quick spurt of renewed energy just in time to meet that upcoming deadline. A potentially romantic situation looms. How it develops will be up to you.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Watch out for distractions that could cause delays and leave you running twice as fast to finish your work by the 15th. Then go ahead and have fun.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) You might prefer to work on current tasks on your own. But be open to a potentially useful suggestion from someone who admires you and wants to help.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Avoid rushing full gallop into that volunteer project without knowing what's expected of you. Take things a step at a time as you begin to find your way.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Good news: You should begin to feel more comfortable expressing your emotions. This will go a long way in helping you with that personal situation.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) An old friend gives confusing signals. Best advice: Don't assume that things will necessarily work themselves out. Ask questions and demand straight answers.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A new relationship needs time to develop. Be careful not to let your emotions flood your natural sense of caution. Meanwhile, check out that new job offer.

BORN THIS WEEK: Your sense of right and wrong sometimes causes you to come into conflict with others. But you invariably come out ahead.

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To find the good life you must become yourself.
—Dr. Bill Jackson

Notice of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Public Hearing

The West Sacramento City Council will conduct public hearings on December 5 and December 12, 2007 at 7:30 p.m. to review the City's participation in the CDBG Program. The following topics will be discussed:

December 5, 2007 – Closeout of CDBG grant #05-PTAA-1477 providing funding for a mobile home park survey and a business incubator feasibility study.

December 12, 2007 – Closeout of CDBG grant #04-PTAA-0339 providing funding for a feasibility and marketing study of a mixed use development project on West Capitol Avenue.

Interested persons are invited to attend. The hearing will be held at the City of West Sacramento Civic Center, second floor, 1110 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento, California 95691. In compliance with the ADA, if you need assistance to participate in this meeting, you should contact the City Clerk at (916) 617-4500. Notification 72 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable accommodations to assure accessibility at the meeting. The Civic Center is handicapped accessible.

If you are unable to attend the public hearing, you may direct written comments prior to the date of the hearing to: City of West Sacramento, Housing and Community Investment, 1110 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95691. Information may be obtained, or a public file on CDBG activities may be reviewed, at the above address between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on weekdays. The Housing and Community Investment Department can be contacted at (916) 617-4555 or by email at gci@cityofwestsacramento.org.

The City of West Sacramento promotes fair housing and makes all programs available to low- and moderate-income households regardless of age, race, color, religion, sex, national origin, sexual preference, marital status or disability.

Nov 21

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A ruffled mind makes a restless pillow.
—Charlotte Brontë

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Without enough sleep, we all become tall two-year-olds.
—JoJo Jensen

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Aviso de Audiencia Pública para el Programa *Community Development Block Grant (CDBG*, por sus siglas en inglés)

El Consejo Municipal de la Municipalidad de West Sacramento llevará a cabo audiencias públicas el 5 y el 12 de Diciembre del 2007 a las 7:30 p.m. para obtener comentarios sobre la participación de la Municipalidad en el programa *CDBG* del Estado de California. Los siguientes temas serán discutidos:

5 de Diciembre del 2007 – La liquidación del subsidio *CDBG* #05-PTAA-1477 que proveera fondos para un estudio de parques de casas móvil y un estudio de viabilidad para una incubadora de negocios.

12 de Diciembre del 2007 – La liquidación del subsidio *CDBG* #04-PTAA-0339 que proveera fondos para un estudio de viabilidad y comercialización de un proyecto de desarrollo de uso mixto sobre la Avenida West Capitol.

Invitamos a las personas interesadas asistir a la audiencia pública. La audiencia pública se llevará a cabo en la Cámara del Consejo Municipal localizada en el 1110 West Capitol Ave., Segundo Piso, West Sacramento, CA 95691. De acuerdo con el Acta de Americanos con Incapacidad Física o Mental (*ADA*, por sus siglas en inglés), si necesita ayuda para participar en la audiencia pública comuníquese con el Secretario Municipal. Se le pide al público avisar con 72 horas de anticipación si requieren ayuda para hacer las adaptaciones razonables para asegurar accesibilidad a la audiencia pública. El ayuntamiento es accesible a personas incapacitadas.

Personas que no puedan acudir a la audiencia pública pueden entregar sus comentarios por escrito antes de la fecha de la audiencia pública a la siguiente dirección: City of West Sacramento, Housing and Community Investment Department, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691. Adicionalmente, personas pueden obtener información o examinar un archivo público relacionado con las actividades de *CDBG* en la dirección mencionada de lunes a viernes durante las 8 a.m. y 5 p.m. También pueden comunicarse de lunes a viernes con el Departamento de *Housing and Community Investment* al teléfono (916) 617-4555 o por correo electrónico a hci@cityofwestsacramento.org.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TSG No.: **3429066** TS No.: **20079070802397** You are in Default under a Deed of Trust, dated **6/3/2005.** Unless you take action to protect your property, it may be sold at a public sale. If you need an explanation of the nature of the proceedings against you, you should contact a lawyer. On **12/11/2007** at **10:00 A.M., First American LoanStar Trustee Services,** as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded **6/15/2005,** as Instrument No. **2005-0028370-00,** of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of **Yolo** County, State of California. Executed by: **Matthew Jamison, Kelli Jamison,** Will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b). (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) **At the front entrance to City Hall, 1110 Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA** All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: As more fully described in the above mentioned Deed of Trust APN# **072-063-04-1** The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **3515 Lewiston Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691** The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: **$494,347.60.** The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. First American LoanStar Trustee Services may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Date: **11/21/2007 First American Title Insurance Company, First American LoanStar Trustee Services, 3 First American Way, Santa Ana, CA 92707** Original document signed by Authorized Agent, Chet Sconyers - For Trustee's Sale information please call 925-603-7342 (RSVP# 96545)(11/21/07, 11/28/07, 12/05/07)

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The West Sacramento City Council will conduct a public hearing on December 5, 2007 at 7:30 PM or as soon thereafter as possible on the following. The hearing will be held in the council chambers at the Civic Center, 1110 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento. Interested persons are invited to attend. In compliance with the ADA, if you need assistance to participate in this meeting, you should contact the City Clerk at 617-4500. Notification 72 hours prior to the meeting will en-able the City to make reasonable arrangements to assure accessibility to this meeting. City hall is handicapped accessible.

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2. Ordinance 07-20 repealing Ordinance 02-18 and 04-07 for adopting by reference the 2007 California Building Codes and 2006 International Property Maintenance Co.
3. Ordinance 07-23 amending Section 2.20.290 and 2.20.030 of the West Sacramento Municipal Code by replacing various references of the Uniform Building Codes with reference to the 2007 California Building Codes.

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ORDINANCE SUMMARY

At their regular meeting on December 5, 2007 the West Sacramento City Council is scheduled to adopt **Ordinance 07-21** adopting by reference the 2007 California Fire Code and all appendicies except Appendix A and repealing and enacting Chapter 15.14 of the West Sacramento Municipal Code; and **Ordinance 07-20** repealing Ordinance 02-18 and 04-07 for adopting by reference the 2007 California Building Codes and 2006 International Property Maintenance Co; and **Ord 07-23** amending Section 2.20.290 and 2.20.300 of the West Sacramento Municipal Code by replacing various references of the Uniform Building Codes with reference to the 2007 California Building Codes. The meeting will be held at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento in the Council Chambers at 7:00 pm.

The full text of the ordinance is available in the City Clerk's Office, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691.

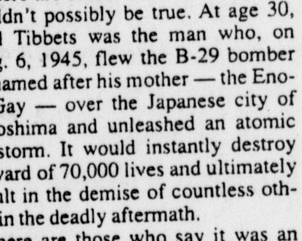
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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. 2007-1042
The following person(s) is (are) doing business as:
AT&T Communications of San Diego, County Road 6 & 86, Dunigan 95937.
TCG San Diego, One AT&T Way, Bedminster, New Jersey 07921.
TCG Partners, One AT&T Way, Bedminster, NJ 07921.
TCG Southwestn Holdings, Inc. One AT&T Way, Bedminster, NJ 07921.
TCG San Diego Holdings, Inc., One AT&T Way, Bedminster, NJ 07921.
This business is conducted by a general partnership.
The registrant(s) commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
S/ Kathy Metzger
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yolo County on October 11, 2007.
NOTICE-This Fictitious Name Statement expires five years from the date it was filed in the office of the County Clerk. A New Fictitious Business Name Statement must be filed before that time.
The filing of this statement does not of itself authorize the use in this state of a Fictitious Business Name in violation of the rights of another under Federal, State, or common law (See Section 14411 et seq., Business and Professions Code).
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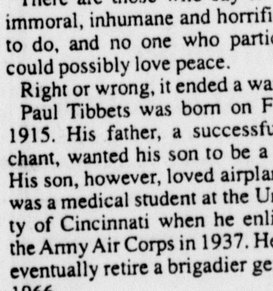
TSG No.: 3418853 TS No.: 20079019203373 FHA/VA/PMI No.: Notice Of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 9/5/2006 UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 12/4/2007 at 12:45 PM First American Loanstar Trustee Services, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded 09/14/2006, as Instrument No. 2006-0036062-00, in book , page , of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed by: Daniel Ganas, an unmarried man, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA All right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: As more fully described in the above mentioned Deed of Trust APN# 045-590-07-1 The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 3562 Cooper Island Road , West Sacramento, CA 95691 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $377,617.30 The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. Date: 11/14/2007 First American Title Insurance Company First American LoanStar Trustee Services 3 First American Way Santa Ana, CA 92707 First American Loanstar Trustee Services may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Original document signed by Authorized Agent Chet Sconyers – For Trustee's Sale Information Please Call (714) 573-1965 P330013 11/14, 11/21, 11/28/2007

STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME
The following person(s) has (have) abandoned the use of the fictitious business name: **Excel Corporation, 1109 Cnestnut St., Maryville, CA 95901.**
The fictitious business name referred to above was filed on 08/19/2004 in the County of Yuba. Current File No. 714524.
Cargill Meat Solutions Corporation, 151 North Main, Wichita, KS 67201.
This business was conducted by a corporation.
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)
S/ Johnny Smith
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Yuba County on October 8, 2007.
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WASHINGTON NEWS ITEMS

The Sacramento River registered two feet and one inch, U. S. gauge, at the Southern Pacific bridge yesterday. River conditions at the present writing are far from being ideal, not only for the users of river water, but for purposes of navigation. Along down south of Sacramento at various places dredgers have been used to keep the channel open for navigation, and at the foot of K street dredgers have been used to permit the steamers of the Sacramento Transportation Company approach to the building yards of the company. At the terminal warehouse south of the M street bridge a dredger has also been used to permit barge loads of grain to approach the wharves of the corporation, and north of the S. P. bridge a dredger was lately used to keep the channel of the American River open so that running water might flow past the intake providing Sacramento city with a supply. As it is at the present time, no Sacramento River water reaches the intake of Sacramento. It all comes from the American River, and the pollution on the way-down stream is far from agreeable or even healthful for water consumers. Any time water from the Sacramento River proper is more agreeable and clearer than that from the American River, and in flood times Sacramento River water is ever so much better than water taken from the American River. Shavings and debris now dropped from the Southern Pacific wharf at Front and M streets floats upstream with the tide, even way above the mouth of the American River, and God only knows how far upstream the sewerage from the pumping plants at Front and U streets floats upstream. If this sewerage reaches the intake of the Sacramento River there is grave probability of an epidemic of typhoid fever in the Capital City, and except that the water is chlorinated, it would appear that no other precautions are taken to purify the supply. Residents of Washington are somewhat worried now, also, because a wing dam just north of the water intake prevents a flowing supply of water all the time, although at high tide the supply is plentiful and clear. The supply of water furnished the people of Washington is also being chlorinated, so that, to a certain extent, the danger of disease or an epidemic is obviated.

Miss Dixie Chiles was absent from West Sacramento headquarters during the three days of last week-end on a visit to her parents in Chiles Valley, Napa County.

Wallace Fraser, relieved to a great extent of the many hours he spent at the Washington service station during the past six months, now has an assistant to relieve him during the early afternoon hours or while it is very warm in that locality. Lately he felt that an assistant would be of great help to him, and the assistant has been installed on the job to permit him a few hours of rest.

Miss Lois Collins of Chico is the latest popular addition to the force in the Washington postoffice. Coming to Washington for a vacation, she insisted immediately upon helping out in the store, and is becoming acquainted so fast that all the young men of the locality are now getting their supplies of ice cream, candies and cigarettes from her. She will remain here during the vacation period.

Miss Helen Dassonville is at home after spending two weeks at Pacific Grove with the Camp Fire Girls. She reports having had a wonderful time out in the open and is anxious to try the stunt again next year.

W. Padfield and wife spent a few days of the past week in Washington on their way to Oakland from a long trip they had taken to the northern part of the state and other northern states. They were guests of Mrs. George in the postoffice building.

Jack Cussack was around town yesterday afternoon renewing old friendships and building up political fences for his old friend and neighbor, Henry Buckingham, who is a candidate for supervisor from this district. Cussack is an old electioneer and has positive ideas on Democratic questions as well as Democratic candidates.

Mrs. J. L. Clifton has returned from a visit of several days in Oakland, which she spent with her daughter, Mrs. Muhm.

Last Monday, before Judge Barry, Joe Ramos of Riverbank pleaded guilty to stealing wood from Perry Crenshaw. Ramos wanted to pay Crenshaw the entire value of the wood that he took and which was used last Sunday at the festival of St. Peter in Riverbank. The wood was used in barbecuing meat for the festival, but Crenshaw was obdurate and wanted to see Ramos punished for taking some of his winter supply. Apparently Crenshaw believed that Ramos would get a heavy sentence at the hands of Judge Barry. After listening to the evidence in the case and the pleas of guilty entered by Ramos, Judge Barry fined him $10, which was paid immediately.

George Kennedy, Nina Kennedy, A. Olson and Ida Olson were before the District Court last Monday on a charge of disturbing the peace, which was sworn to by Lewis Hall of Riverbank. When the case was called Hall acknowledged that he was not present when the peace of the neighborhood was disturbed, but claimed his wife was present, but since the complaint was sworn to by him there was nothing for the judge to do but dismiss the case. Judge Barry refused to issue complaints against Hall, which the other four above mentioned wanted to swear to. He told them to go to their homes and try and live in peace.

Mrs. Louise Smith is at her home after spending several weeks on a vacation at the bay cities. During her absence Henry Leinberger, Jr., took care of the home and looked after the wants of the hard-working men of the household.

Bert Irwin and wife of Santa Rosa have been at the Buckingham home during the past week. They expect to leave here tomorrow to make their future home in Stockton.

The Hauser building, at Third and Anne streets, which has been vacant for nearly a year and was last occupied by Chinese, was occupied a few days ago by Jack Reuther as a barber shop, poolroom and store. This building has remained idle since the Chinese were forced out and has been an eyesore in the neighborhood because of the disreputable appearance of the building, with its barred doors and windows, and especially because it stood at the most prominent corner of town. Reuther expects to make it a popular resort for the young men of the community, who have lately been loafing to a great extent in their leisure hours along the sidewalk in the immediate neighborhood. He expects to install pool tables, card games and other means of pastime and make the place popular for many men who believe in staying home rather than crossing the bridge every evening to Sacramento. Property owners in the neighborhood are wishing Reuther good luck in this venture, more or less because they feel he will care for the place and keep it as it deserves to be kept instead of being an eyesore to the community, a collector of debris and a resort for bats and other night owls.

After a few days' visit in Washington as the guest of friends and relatives, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Arey returned to their Oakland home.

Ernest Curry and family are now occupying the McClure home, which they recently purchased.

Mrs. Richard Egan has removed from the Wilbur Smith cottage on C street to the Flint apartments on Harriett street.

Mrs. J. A. Allerton and children have left for Cottonwood, where they expect to remain during the next two weeks.

Mrs. F. Peek and Mrs. Catherine Brown have returned from a month's vacation at Samuel Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams spent the Fourth of July on the American River near Riverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dupzyk, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Speicher and Mrs. Carrie Harms are spending several days at Bodega Bay.

Miss Alice Egan has gone to Los Angeles to spend her vacation.

NEW RURAL ROUTE OUT OF SACRAMENTO WILL COVER POINTS IN YOLO COUNTY ONLY, TO START ON SEPTEMBER 3D

Postmaster H. J. McCurry of Sacramento informed the Independent yesterday that a new route is to be establihsed on September 3, giving a triweekly service to points in Yolo County only, and will probably be known as Rural Route No. 4.

Rural Route No. 3, which now is furnishing service along the river north of Washington as far as Elkhorn and on the Natomas boulevard, was established some time ago, but the new route will not be open until September 3.

This route will run out of Sacramento, delivering at all points outside of the town of Washington, along the state highway west as far as the Yolo causeway, then return to the West Sacramento postoffice, where deliveries will not be made, thence southwesterly on Jefferson boulevard as far as the Catholic Church and then southeasterly on Gregory avenue to Riverview, where the return trip to Sacramento will start, running along the old river levee to cross the M street bridge, with a final destination at the Sacramento postoffice.

The round trip is 25 miles in length and is destined to furnish mail delivery for 119 families. Temporarily it will give service only on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, but later on a full daily service is expected. The route will be known by the technical name of "Yolo Basin route."

Requirements made by the postal authorities are than 95 families of the district must install road boxes and that they must be in place on or before August 10. If these 95 boxes have been placed by that time, a favorable recommendation will be made to the postal authorities for the establishment of the route. If these receptacles are not placed by August 10 the route may not be established.

Request for this service was started by Charles Williams of the West Sacramento district, who circulated a petition and who was greatly aided by Doc Miller. These two gentlemen and residents of the district are now circulating again and asking the people along the route to put up boxes so that a favorable recommendation for the establishment of the route may be made.

It is understood by Postmaster McCurry that this route will not interfere with the delivery of mail at the postoffices of Broderick, Bryte or West Sacramento and that no deliveries will be made to persons within the jurisdiction of those offices.

McCurry asked the Independent to urge residents of the district to put up boxes along the road so that a favorable recommendation can be made by him to the authorities in Washington.

WASHINGTON BOOSTERS' CLUB AIMS TO GET RID OF JUNGLES ON WATER FRONT BETWEEN BRIDGES

The promise made the Washington Boosters' Club on Tuesday, July 1, is about to be realized as soon as possible so that the jungles on the front levee between the two bridges will be cleared out in order to prevent canned heat derelicts from finding a refuge there in the shade of the trees.

Supervisor Beardslee has promised the Boosters' Club that he will see to the clearing out of this refuse for the homeless, and he has further promised that itinerant campers will not be permitted to occupy the sides of roads or streets in their camping outfits over night.

A state law prevents such camping, and it is the intention of Supervisor Beardsless to enforce it.

These questions were discussed at the meeting of the Boosters' Club last Tuesday evening in the town hall so that remedial steps might be taken.

Another important question under discussion at the meeting on Tuesday night was the straightening out of "death curve," at Fifth and Anne streets, where so many serious automobile accidents have taken place and where even human beings have lost their lives on account of the dangerous turn.

It was announced at the meeting last Tuesday that Probation Officer A. A. Powers of Woodland had been examining the condition of the houseboats south of the Sacramento Transportation Company's yards and that a decision would be expected soon from the county health officer, Dr. Lawhead.

Another question under consideration was the condition of the water supply for the town of Washington. At the present time it appears that flowing water does not pass the intake, but that water backs into the intake around a wing dam that was built by the government several years ago and to which wing dam the people of Washington objected, through the Washington Improvement Club, at the time it was constructed.

Attention was drawn to this matter, and the Independent was requested to publish the location of several wells in the community that might be made available in case the water supply of the river should become depleted later on in the season or that it might become dangerous for human consumption.

The wells now supplying water to many neighbors are those of E. F. Curry, Pete McGregor and the Bonetti well.

Joe Pereira, who was present at the meeting and who had been refused a water supply for his swimming tank near Fourth street, advised the meeting that he was about to sink two wells to a depth of 150 feet in order to get a supply of water for his swimming tank. In case this water should be found fit for human consumption, Pereira promised to permit its use in case public demand was made for it.

A garbage collecting agency has been established by Sloane & Townsend, who are now canvassing the householders of the district and who promise a bi-monthly service for a price of 50 cents a month. A dumping ground has been provided them on the Hoagland place north of town.

CARDOZA BABY IS VICTIM OF WEAKNESS

Last Monday Alice, the year-old daughter of August and Domingas Cardoza, died at the home of her parents in Bryte as a result of early decline. The child had not been of robust health since its birth, and although every attention was given it, it failed to pull through.

The funeral was held Tuesday from the Church of Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament in Washington, interment being in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

RUPTURE EXPERT HERE

F. H. Seeley, of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted truss expert, will personally be at the Sacramento Hotel, and will remain in Sacramento Friday and Sautrday only, July 11 and 12. Mr. Seeley says: "The Spermatic Shield will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, but contracts the opening in 10 days on the average case. Being a vast advancement over all former methods—exemplifying instantaneous effects immediately appreciable and withstanding any strain or position no matter the size or location. Large or difficult cases, or Incissional ruptures (following operations) specially solicited. This instrument re-

HEAVY JOLT GIVEN GRAIN THIEF OF WEST SACRAMENTO

H. Zimmerman, an auto camper, was sent to jail for six months last Wednesday by Judge Barry after having been arrested with four sacks of grain in his possession that were taken from the barley field of Charlie Studarus.

Zimmerman was caught red-handed by a watchman, J. Olson, employed by Studarus, with the grain in his possession and had previously been found on Tuesday night in the vicinity of the field with a sack of barley lying on the roadside near his automobile and the lights of the car extinguished.

Constable Buckingham made the arrest when notified by the watchman, and Judge Barry, finding the evidence against him so palpable, did not hesitate to give him the limit.

These grain thefts have been common in the West Sacramento district, and although the loss has not been very heavy, the pilferings have been extremely annoying to the farmers of the district and forced them to employ watchman as long as the grain was on the field. The sentence meted out to Zimmerman should serve as a lesson to other grain thieves.

It would appear that most of the grain thefts taking place in West Sacramento were purposely enacted for the benefit of bootleggers. Those who have been caught invariably excused their thefts on the ground that the grain was intended for distilling purposes, and all the distilling was not done in Yolo County, but on the contrary the greater portion was done in Sacramento and in its immediate neighborhood.

Farmers of the West Sacramento district are rejoicing over the sentence meter out to Zimmerman because they feel that this stiff jolt will put an end to petty thievery from the farmers.

HOLDUPS ARE EXTENDING TO THIS SIDE OF THE RIVER

Last Saturday night between West Sacramento headquarters and the turn in the highway at the old Kripp home two highwaymen made an attempt to hold up Frank Feher when on his way home.

Out of the shadow of the West Sacramento barns they approached Feher in his automobile, but instead of stopping he stepped on the gas and reached his home, only a block distant, without further molestation. One of the bandits fired a shot at him, which was distinctly heard by Arthur Everaert, a neighbor in that locality.

Feher escaped without injury and remained at his home the balance of the night.

Soon after the attempted hold-up of Feher, a Mexican on his way to Sacramento on foot was held up by the same two individuals. Unable to speak English, the Mexican failed to respond to their demands for money and complied with their request only when the point of a gun was jabbed into his ribs.

The bandits searched him and, finding no funds, started to abuse him.

One of them hit him on the head with the butt end of a revolver, leaving a terrible gash from which the Mexican nearly bled to death.

He crawled back to neighbors in the vicinity of the section house, who took him to the Emergency Hospital in Sacramento, and later to the county hospital, where he still remains.

Wet leather, dried by heat, is practically worthless, according to tests made by the United States Bureau of Chemistry.

CLARKSBURG PARENTS TOLD HOW TO RAISE THEIR CHILDREN

Miss Frances Liles, county farm home demonstrator, and Miss Rozzie Carrow, county health nurse, were in Clarksburg July 8 inspecting the children of that district. They found that children who were found to be underweight during the examinations several weeks ago were now full weight in most cases. Those who were not quite up to weight were given advice on the proper manner in bringing themselves up to the proper standard.

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Fred Moeller, Mgr.

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OPINION

Guest opinion

Teen's view: show support for those in the fight with a salute to flag

As part of their Veterans Day celebrations, West Sacramento's Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #8762 and its ladies auxiliary recently sponsored Voice of Democracy and Patriot Pen essay contests which offered prizes that included U.S. Savings Bonds and a possible trip to Washington D.C.. The winning entries have been advanced to the VFW district level for further judging.

Jessica Paige Hill, a student at Hillquest Academy, was the Voice of Democracy essay winner, and Michelle Ann Farthing, a student at Southport Elementary School, won the Patriot Pen essay contest. Below is Ms. Hill's essay:

"...And I'm proud to be an American where at least I know I'm free. And I won't forget the men who died, who gave that right to me. And I'd gladly stand up next to you and defend her still today."

These lyrics, by Lee Greenwood, never fail to stir up my emotions and my sense of patriotism. It is a feeling I wish we all carried with us more often.

The veterans of America are the men and women who bravely fought to make our country what it is today. They are the ones who are willing to give their lives to keep our safe and our freedom secure for generations to come. Many people have sacrifices their lives to fight for America's cause. In addition to the troops on the front line, many others have given time and money to support our soldiers. So, why can't the rest of us give a little time out of our day to stand proudly and salute the American flag, the symbol of our freedom that many are fighting to uphold? Along with saluting the flag, all citizens of America should do some sort of community service and study the past. Americans today must remember to play their role in honoring our country's veterans.

When the citizens of America pledge allegiance to the flag, do they actually mean what they are saying? When we say the Pledge of Allegiance, we are promising to be faithful to the ideals of our country and to stay together no matter if we disagree. The least we can do is show some appreciation to those who are fighting by standing tall and proud when we salute our flag.

Personally, I have only done a few community service projects. My 4-H group took the time to make neck warmers for the soldiers in Iraq. We also took a trip to the local cemetery and placed flags on the graves of veterans for Memorial Day. These are nice gestures and I'm sure they are appreciated by the community, but they are not many in number.

The last, most time-consuming way that I, along with most American students, have shown appreciation is by studying American history. I've studied the past to learn from their mistakes. We don't want to make the same mistakes twice. All it does is kill twice as many people. We don't want our brave soldiers of America to give their lives in vain. We should also take time to study our own family history. My family has made a few sacrifices for our country over the generations. My great grandfather was a prisoner of war in World War II, both of my grandfathers fought in the Vietnam War and my cousin is fighting in Iraq right now. But even with these sacrifices, we still tend to get caught up in our daily lives and forget to remember those who are fighting to keep us free.

I am so privileged to live in a country that has freedom like ours. America truly is the land of the free and the home of the brave. And veterans are the people who made this land what it is today. Let this serve as a reminder to all of us to remember the veterans of America as we go about our daily lives. The next time I have the opportunity to salute the flag, I will do so with a little more thought about its true meaning. I hope I've played my role in honoring these courageous men and women. "Cause there ain't no doubt I love this land. God bless the U.S.A."

Letters to the Editor

The key is unity

Now that the results of "Measure S" have been digested and analyzed, one can only hope that the school district administration has learned from their mistakes. Around $100,000 or more was spent on glossy brochures and limo donut deliveries to the schools on election by the superintendent and other administrators to convince parents to show up to vote "Yes on S". Yes, that is correct, limo donut deliveries to SOME schools. The schools in the North part of our community were not included.

Hopefully, the district administration and the board have learned that we are all one community. The divide and conquer mentality needs to go away. You will only pass a bond when you have figured out that you need to include the entire community, including your teachers, classified employees, administrators and residents from all parts of West Sacramento.

I read an interesting comment made by a resident on a local community web site that said, "There are a number of threads in this website with the "us"/"them" underlying message. Corny as this may sound, there is a "We" in "WEst Sacramento" . This needs to be emphasized by our City Government and the citizens so that we can improve the entire community, not just the schools. Then and only then, can things really get done."

As a lifelong resident of this community, I could not agree more.

IRENE EKLUND
West Sacramento

Measure S defeat

My children's education is ultimately my responsibility. My children were in private school before we moved to this area. Every parent has the right to put their child in an environment where they feel their child will be academically, socially and emotionally prepared for the next step. I feel it is important for my child to go to a school with well-established, functioning programs. GSMS has two such programs; an Avid program which was recognized statewide as being a model program, and a high achieving honors program. In 2005, GSMS "gifted" students earned nine out of ten possible points from greatschools.com. Last year, while GSMS's total scores went down, our "gifted" students earned ten out of ten points.

I realize that some have had a bad experience at GSMS, but I know of parents who hated Southport (which I loved), Bridgeway Island, Westmore Oaks, and even Our Lady of Grace. Yet, other families loves those schools. In the same way, though there were obvious issues at GSMS, I don't believe that K-8 is to the benefit of every child.

I must admit I was almost convinced that Measure S was going to pass. I am so grateful that it didn't. Looking back on the past year, the issue becomes very clear to me -- money. WUSD felt in order to raise our test scores, they needed to go K-8 district-wide. But John Hopkins University found that previous studies on the success rates of K-8 schools were inaccurate because they didn't compare schools with the same demographics. When they did an independent study, between demographically compatible schools, they found no significant improvement in test scores.

I understand that some parents want the K-8 environment for their child, and it seems Dr. Lawrence is not willing to approach the issues causing our children (in neither honors, nor AVID) at GSMS to have poor test scores. Having said all this, of all the information I found about K-8 successes, one fact only stood out -- small classroom sizes. Yet while our state average is 29 students per class, Dr. Lawrence plans to put up to 34 students in a class in order to fit 900 students at each school site.

My friend's three year old child was approached at a soccer game a few weeks ago by board member Mr. Stegman. He attempted to give the toddler a balloon with "Vote Yes for Measure S" written on it, without asking my friend's position on the measure. They proceeded to have a discussion in which Mr. Stegman implied that it would be our fault if the middle schooler's didn't get what they needed if the measure failed. He also informed her that she didn't understand the process by stating, "You can't wait to have the funds to start." I looked at the minutes from the board meetings at school districts across the country. Most of the districts held open forums before beginning to plan anything. Once it was decided to go K-8, they did it slowly and methodically.

When I attended board meetings on this issue, our community didn't oppose K-8. Parent's concerns were over lack of choices, lack of equality, and moving too quickly. I know that legality often comes into question when referring to the school board's practices, but I don't feel that is the real problem. I feel Dr. Lawrence and our school board have behaved in a manner which is irresponsible, condescending, and unethical towards a part of our community that they feel doesn't really matter. They have lost my trust, along with many

Please see LETTERS, page 4

Food Ideas

(NAPS)—Buitoni culinary experts are seeking 10 "tired" holiday recipes, to which they will give a new look and taste. Visit Buitoni.com/pesto by January 2, 2008, to enter for a chance to win a recipe makeover and thousands of dollars in prizes. For more entertaining ideas, visit Buitoni.com.



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During the holidays, Nestlé Consumer Services is available to help with recipe requests and advice (it does so for more than 50,000 bakers each holiday season). For holiday resources, baking tips, and recipe and packaging ideas, visit VeryBestBaking.com.

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MULTIFAMILY HOUSING REVENUE BONDS FOR PATIOS DE CASTILLO APARTMENTS AND RIVER ROSE APARTMENTS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, at 7:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, on Wednesday, December 12, 2007, at the West Sacramento Civic Center, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691, the City Council of the City of West Sacramento (the "City") will conduct a public hearing as required by Section 147(f) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, at which it will hear and consider information concerning a proposed plan of financing providing for the issuance by the California Statewide Communities Development Authority of multifamily housing revenue bonds in one or more series issued from time to time, including bonds issued to refund such revenue bonds in one or more series from time to time, and at no time to exceed $5,000,000 in outstanding aggregate principal amount, to finance the construction and development of (i) a 23-unit multifamily rental housing project located at 200, 500 and 510 4th Street, West Sacramento, California and generally known as Patios de Castillo Apartments, and (ii) a 22-unit multifamily rental housing project located at 511 and 513 B Street and at 219 6th Street, West Sacramento, California and generally known as River Rose Apartments (collectively, the "Project"). The Project will be owned and operated by Patios/River Rose Associates, a California Limited Partnership, or related entities.

Those wishing to comment on the proposed financing and the nature and location of the Project may either appear in person at the public hearing or submit written comments, which must be received by the City prior to the hearing. Written comments should be sent to the City of West Sacramento, 1110 West Capitol Ave., 3rd Floor, West Sacramento, CA 95691, Attention: City Clerk.

CITY CLERK
West Sacramento
Dated: November 28, 2007
Nov 28

Public Notice Date: 11/28/07
Request for Proposal (RFP)
Project/Service Summary

Washington Unified School District is requesting proposals for the lease and maintenance of copy machines within the district. The intent of this Request for Proposal is to establish a contract for a copier acquisition program based on a Cost Per Copy pricing wherein the contractor supplies the copier, scheduled routine maintenance, repairs, parts, and ALL consumables (except paper). Currently the District has approximately 50 copy machines of various sizes and speeds. A document titled "Request for Proposal for Lease and Maintenance of Copy Machines" contains detailed information regarding this posting and submission requirements. A copy of this document can be secured from the following locations: **District Website:** http://www.wusd.k12.ca.us/main.html — See Hyperlink titled "Bids/Contracts", **District Office:** Washington Unified School District, 930 Westacre Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691. Attn: Julienne DeGeyter, Accounting Supervisor (916) 375-7600. **Bids shall be submitted by:** December 14th at 4:00 p.m. Washington Unified School District intends to award the contract to the lowest, responsive, responsible bid. The Washington Unified School District reserves the right to reject any or all bids offered in response to this posting and either rebid or take any other action permitted by statute. The District reserves the right to negotiate the terms and conditions of any final contract for purchase of the item(s) described above

Nov 28 Dec 5

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
Trustee Sale No. 5656 Loan No. WEST SACRAMENTO Title Order No. 3420673 APN 014-332-23-1 **YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 03/30/06. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On December 12, 2007 at 12:45 PM,GOLDEN WEST FORECLOSURE SERVICE, INC., A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION as the duly appointed Trustee** under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 04/05/06 DOC- 2006-0013458-00 Book Page of official records in the Office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California, executed by: WILLIAM W. GURR, JR., AN UNMARRIED MAN, as Trustor,GARY L. ROSETTO, as Beneficiary, **WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH** (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). At: **AT THE NORTH ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL LOCATED 1110 WEST CAPITOL AVENUE, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA**, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: AS MORE FULLY DESCRIBED ON SAID DEED OF TRUST. A.P.N. 014-332-23-1. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **916 JOAN STREET, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95605.** The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: $61,678.49 (Estimated). Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Date: 11/13/07 GOLDEN WEST FORECLOSURE SERVICE, INC., AS TRUSTEE, Peninsula Corporate Center, 805 Veterans Blvd., Suite 218, Redwood City, CA 94063-1736, (650) 369-2150 (Phone) **(530) 672-3033 Trustee's Sale Information.** By: Michael D. Orth, Secretary. NPP0124130 PUB: 11/21/07, 11/28/07, 12/05/07

SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION (CITACION JUDICIAL)
CASE NUMBER: (NUMERO DEL CASO) 07AS04798

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT (AVISO AL DEMANDADO): ALL PERSONS INTERESTED INTHE MATTER OF the validity of a Settlement Agreement, dated October 16, 2007, by and between the State Board of Equalization, Pacific Gas & Electric Company, and the counties of Butte, El Dorado, Mariposa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sierra and Yuba,
YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF (LO ESTA DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE): STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION
You have until January 30, 2008, to file a typewritten response at this court. This action seeks judicial validation of that certain Settlement Agreement and Mutual Special Release ("the Settlement Agreement"), dated October 16, 2007, by and among the State Board of Equalization ("SBE"), Pacific Gas & Electric Company ("PG&E"), and the counties of Butte, El Dorado, Mariposa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sierra and Yuba ("the Counties"), establishing the methodology to value certain state-assessed real property, and accordingly assess certain property taxes, relating to SBE's determination that PG&E has taxable possessory interests in certain local agency hydroelectric facilities located within one or more of the Counties, from fiscal year 2007-2008 through the expiration of PG&E's presently existing power purchase contracts with five local water agencies/irrigation districts. The Settlement Agreement resolves a pending lawsuit filed by PG&E against SBE and the Counties, and resolves claims for refund filed by PG&E with SBE and the Counties, wherein PG&E alleged that it did and does not have such taxable possessory interests and that the amount of state-assessed property taxes assessed and levied was excessive; and by which PG&E sought to recover such state-assessed real property taxes for fiscal years 2000-2001, 2001-2002, 2002-2003, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, 2005-2006 and 2006-2007. Plaintiff seeks a judgment from the court that, among other things, SBE has the lawful authority to enter into the Settlement Agreement and that the Settlement Agreement is a valid, binding, and lawful agreement of SBE and the parties thereto, and creates valid, binding and lawful obligations of SBE and the parties thereto pursuant to its terms.
If you contest the legality or validity of the matters involved in this lawsuit, you will not be subject to punitive action, such as wage garnishment or seizure of your real or personal property. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.
There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association.
Después de que le entreguen esta citación judicial usted tiene hasta el 30 de Enero del 2008, para presentar una respuesta escrita a máquina en esta corte. Esta acción procura validación judicial que cierto Acuerdo de Finiquito y Liberación Especial Mutua (el "Acuerdo del Finiquito" fechado el 16 de Octubre del 2007, por y entre la Junta Estatal de Igualación ("SBE"), Pacific Gas & Electric Company ("PG&E"), y los condados de Butte, El Dorado, Mariposa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sierra y Yuba ("los Condados"), que estableció la metodología para valorar bienes raíces tasados por el estado, y de acuerdo a esto tasar ciertos impuestos de propiedad, relacionados a la determinación de SBE que PG&E tiene intereses posesorios imponibles en ciertas instalaciones de la agencia local hidroeléctrica ubicados dentro de uno o más de los Condados, del año fiscal 2007-2008 hasta el vencimiento de los contratos de compra de potencia existentes con otros cinco distritos hidráulicos/distritos de irrigación locales. El Acuerdo del Finiquito resuelve un litigio pendiente archivado por PG&E contra SBE y los Condados, y resuelve reclamaciones de reembolso archivadas por PG&E con SBE y los Condados, donde PG&E alegó que no tenía y no tiene tales intereses posesorios imponibles y que la cantidad de los impuestos sobre la propiedad tasados por el estado impuestos y tasados era excesiva; y por lo cual PG&E procuró recuperar tales impuestos sobre bienes raíces tasados por el estado para los años fiscales 2000-2001, 2001-2002, 2002-2003, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, 2005-2006 y 2006-2007. El demandante procura un fallo del tribunal que, entre otras cosas, SBE tiene la autoridad legal de celebrar el Acuerdo de Finiquito y que el Acuerdo de Finiquito es un acuerdo válido, obligatorio, y legal de SBE y las partes de este, y crea obligaciones válidas , obligatorias y legales de SBE y las partes de este de acuerdo a sus términos.
Si disputan la legalidad o la validez de los asuntos involucrados en esta demanda civil, no estarán sujetos a daños punitivos, tales como la retención de sus sueldos o el secuestro de sus bienes muebles o inmebles. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp/espanol/), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede mas cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario de la corte que le dé un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podra quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin más advertencia.
Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remisión a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratuitos de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en sel sitio web de California Legal Services, (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California, (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp/espanol/) a poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales.
The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y direccion de la corte es):
SACRAMENTO COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT 720 Ninth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814
The name, address and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la direccion y el numero de telefono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es):
STEVEN J. GREEN, Deputy Attorney General Office of the Attorney General 1300 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814
Telephone: (916) 324-5157
Date (Fecha): Oct 23, 2007
By (Secretario) C. McWilliams, Deputy (Adjunto)
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PUZZLES & COMICS

R.F.D.

by Mike Marland



Mama's Boyz

by Jerry Craft



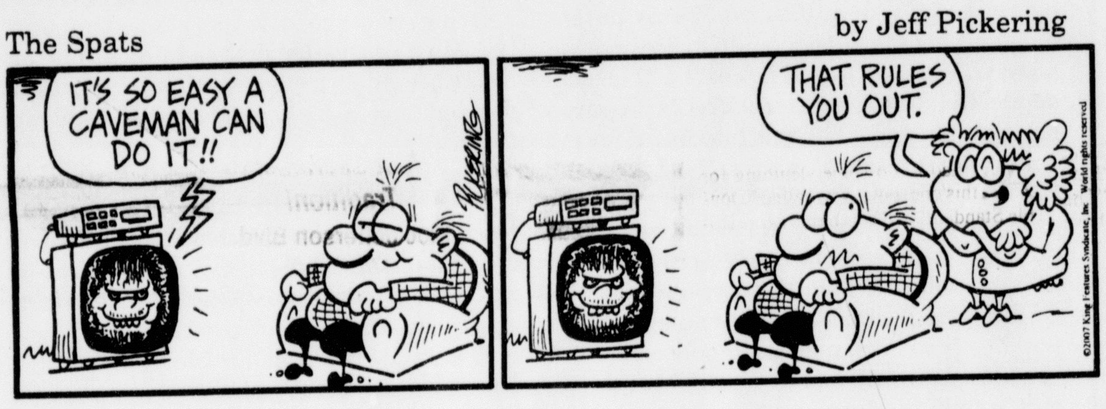
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The Spats

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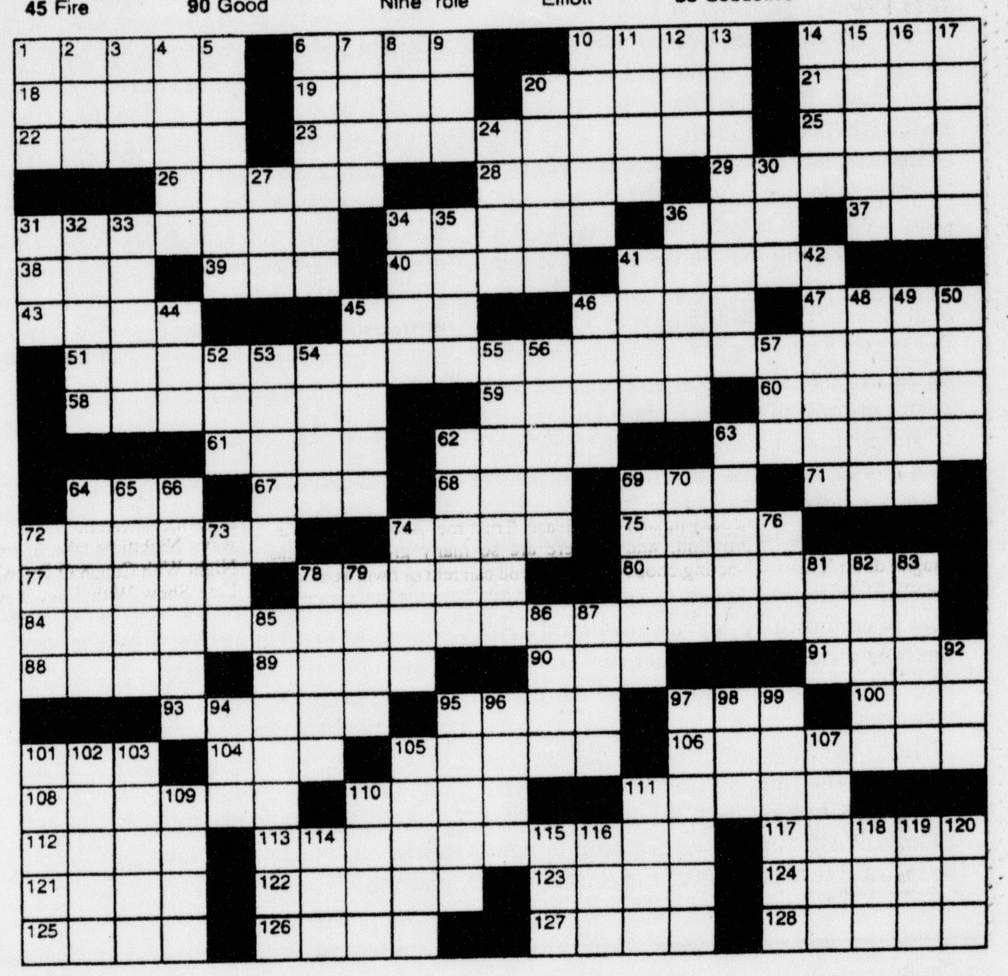


Super Crossword

TIME WARP

ACROSS
1 Puccini heroine
6 Keen
10 Actress Lanchester
14 Be in charge
18 Fully developed
19 Farm measure
20 Sag
21 Inspect too closely?
22 Automaton
23 Start of a remark by Doug Larson
25 Sue of "Lolita"
26 Squander
28 Clinton's hometown
29 Woodland deities
31 Sporting dog
34 Manifest
36 Heredity letters
37 — kwon do
38 Antiquity, archaically
39 Born
40 "Serpico" author
41 "The Donkey Serenade" composer
43 "— September" ('61 film)
45 Fire
46 James of "Misery"
47 — facto
51 Part 2 of remark
58 Kind of clam
59 Dhamar's locale
60 "Rebel Without a Cause" actor
61 Rocker Halliwell
62 "Man bites dog," e.g.
63 Myrdal or Nelson
64 Fall behind
67 Encore exclamation
68 Flock female
69 Norm
71 Move, with "about"
72 Spanish title
74 ". . . some curds and —"
75 Tennis pro Nastase
77 Ralph of "The Waltons"
78 Stiller's partner
80 "Appalachian Spring" composer
84 Part 3 of remark
88 Siamese
89 Coup d'—
90 Good times
91 Chucky, for one
93 Yellowish brown
95 WWII site
97 Room for research
100 Ginnie —
101 Friend
104 EMT's skill
105 Commandment word
106 Remarkable
108 Talisman
110 Galaxy glitterer
111 Buy off
112 Writer Paretsky
113 End of remark
117 Too heavy
121 Mix with water
122 Inexperienced
123 European capital
124 Talk really big
125 Away from the wind
126 Richard of "Intersection"
127 Rocker Van Halen
128 Birth-related

DOWN
1 Pitch
2 "Deep Space Nine" role
3 Fill in
4 Circus performer
5 Reach
6 Fowl feature
7 Feel sore
8 Wrath
9 Permit
10 Act like Etna
11 Stud site
12 Impresario Hurok
13 Italy's — Mountains
14 Celeste or Ian
15 Tut's turf
16 Maui greeting
17 Obtuse
20 "Light My Fire" rockers
24 Big bird
27 "I told you so!"
30 Tasty tuber
31 Wine word
32 Deere things
33 Fess up
34 Poet Khayyam
35 Windmill part
36 — butter
41 Actress Dunaway
42 Fondness
44 Printemps follower
45 Comic Elliott
46 Machine parts
48 Neighbor of 116 Down
49 "Slammin' Sam"
50 Bouquet
52 Crone
53 Simple life form
54 Garr of "Mr. Mom"
55 Glasses
56 Loser to Truman
57 Big bird
62 Jawaharlal's jacket
63 Bellyache
64 Terrier tether
65 A Pointer sister
66 Like Notre Dame
69 Early Brits
70 Baseball family name
72 "M*A*S*H" Emmy winner
73 Actor Stephen
74 Power unit
76 Urban transport
78 Carpenter's corner
79 List ender
81 Postfix
82 Cover girl Campbell
83 Poet Thomas
85 Seductive
86 Without value
87 Detect
92 Triangle part
94 Tennis term
95 Ignominy
96 Starch source
97 It's down in the mouth
98 "— Blue?" ('29 song)
99 Zoo attraction
101 It's tossed with sauce
102 Menotti title character
103 Novelist Alison
105 Place for pots
107 Striped sprinter
109 Path
110 Move a bit
111 Unadorned
114 Dundee denial
115 Hoopsters' org.
116 Newark's st.
118 Put away a pastry
119 Police hdqrs.
120 Sniggler's quarry



Answers to puzzles are on Page 4

GO FIGURE! by Linda Thistle

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

DIFFICULTY: ★

★ Moderate ★★ Difficult
★★★ GO FIGURE!

	–		x		25
+		÷		x	
	–		x		30
x		+		–	
	+		+		16
16		10		23	

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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

	2	6			7	5		
5				9				7
	3		6				8	
7					9	2		1
6	9			2				4
		4	7		6		5	
4				6				8
	5				8	4		
		9	1				3	

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

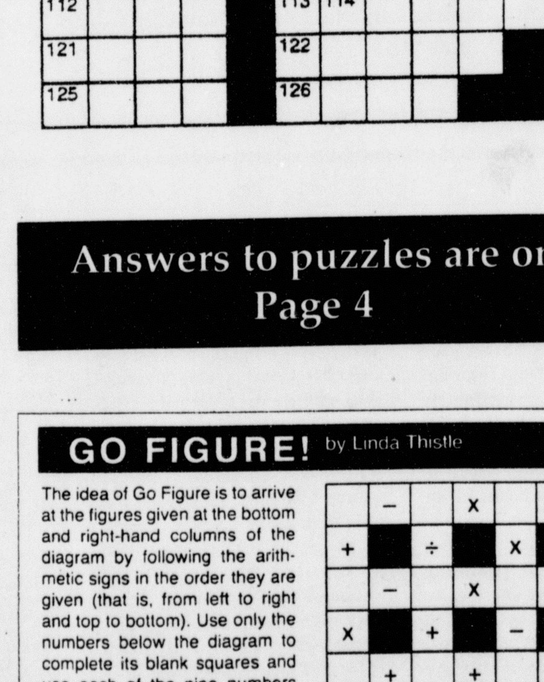
DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.

MAGIC MAZE ● JESSE —

E B Y V T Q O L I G D B Y W T
R P M M K E I F D B Y W S U B
S Q C D O T T M K S I M F R S
D B C Z L R X I E N L W A U E
S V A G Q E Y N H E O D N L M
J E R H G E I F H W F D C O A
A N T Y L A W F N O S K C A J
V T N S H T H S R Q P S N L K
I U E I G N A D N A O H F E C
B R Y Y E L K N I R B Z Y W V
P A U S R Q P N O M L J I H F

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

And Angie
Barfield
Bradford
Brinkley
Hagg
Haines
Helms
Jackson
James
McCartney
Orosco
Owens
Presley
Tree
White

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celebrity extra

by cindy elavsky

Q. I was just reading that actress Julianna Margulies is expecting a baby with her fiance, Keith Lieberthal. I thought she was either dating or married to her former co-star from "ER," the EMT who drove the ambulance. What did I miss? — ***A Reader, via e-mail***

A. It would appear that you missed the break-up. Julianna, who is perhaps best known for her character of nurse Carol Hathaway on the still-popular hospital drama "ER," was involved with actor Ron Eldard, who played Ray "Shep" Shepard, until 2003. They met in an acting class back in 1991. They even starred together in the thriller "Ghost Ship," a movie that, in my opinion, has the best opening sequence of any movie ever.

However, Julianna is now Mrs. Keith Lieberthal, as the couple married in a quiet ceremony in Massachusetts on Nov. 10. Besides looking forward to the birth of their child, Julianna also is getting ready for her role as a rebellious defense attorney on the new Fox series "Canterbury's Law," which premieres in April 2008.

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Q. How will the writer's strike affect my favorite shows? I am all for the writers getting their fair share, but I am curious as to how long I'll have to watch reruns. — ***Hattie D., West Palm Beach, Fla.***

A. As of this writing, the writer's strike is still on. The strike is affecting different shows in different ways. Nighttime talk shows like "Late Night With Conan O'Brien" and "The Late Show With John Stewart" have been in reruns since Day One. Some of the most popular sitcoms and nighttime dramas, such as "The Office," had only a few shows in the can and are now in reruns.

Soap operas have a little more leeway to work with. Representatives for a few shows have told me that they have scripts already written that should keep them going through the new year, but after that, who knows?

On a related note to the powers that be at CBS: Now is the perfect time to broadcast any unseen episodes of "Viva Laughlin," the show that you so unceremoniously yanked after airing only two episodes.

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Q. Years ago I saw a movie starring Michele Greene, and it was about a woman who had an affair with her boss. She became pregnant. He was married and did not want to leave his wife and two sons. So he set the secretary up in a house and she had the baby and they had more children together. Do you know the name of the movie? — ***Laura, Oklahoma***

Julianna Margulies

A. I had to do some sleuthing for this one, but it was called "Double Standard" and was based a true story about a judge's double life. Michele Greene starred as Virginia and Robert Foxworth played her married lover.

Have a question for Cindy? E-mail her at letters@cindyelavsky.com, or write to her in care of King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475, Orlando, FL 32853-6475.

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CRITIC'S CORNER

By D.N.A Smith

"Fred Claus"

Running time: 107 minutes
MPAA rating: PG

Every year there's at least one teeth-gratingly awful Christmas movie inflicted upon an unsuspecting public ("Christmas With the Cranks" or "Jingle All the Way" or "Bad Santa" — you get the picture). This year is no exception.

"Fred Claus" is to Christmas movies as Dr. Kevorkian is to comedy. Yes, I made a Kevorkian joke. Heck, if the makers of "Fred Claus" are too lazy to make good jokes, why should I?

Vince Vaughn stars as, well ... Vince Vaughn.

Seriously. This guy is STILL playing the same character he played in "Swingers," "The Breakup" and "The Wedding Crashers." The cocky hipster hustler schtick has worn thin, and Vaughn doesn't have the acting chops to carry a film.

Vaughn is the older brother of Santa Claus (played by Paul Giamatti in the most mind-bogglingly bizarre casting choice EVER).

Santa and his North Pole crew are in danger of being shut down by the faceless board of directors who oversee holidays (they fired the Easter Bunny). A smarmy efficiency expert (Kevin Spacey) is there to find fault with Claus' operation, and he is going to exploit Vince Vaughn's sibling rivalry with Santa in order to shut down Santa's operation.

In the process, Vaughn screws things up with Santa, the elves, his girlfriend, everybody. But thankfully, by the end



Vince Vaughn

of the movie he learns Important Lessons about Family and The Spirit of Christmas. You, on the other hand, will be wondering how to get two hours of your life back.

Please. Trust me. Avoid this movie. There are so many great Christmas movies you can rent or own. You don't need to waste your time or money on this abomination.

GRADE: F

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Books

The Beekeeper's Apprentice
by Laurie R. King
(Picador, $14)
Reviewed by Ealish Waddell

It is 1915. War is raging across Europe, and tragedy has marooned 15-year-old Mary Russell in the Sussex countryside with an odious aunt and an uncertain future. Biding her time until she can escape to university, the gangly, bookish, outspoken Mary has resigned herself to being friendless when she literally trips over an unexpected neighbor: the legendary detective Sherlock Holmes, genteelly retired to the downs to write and raise bees in his middle age.

To their mutual surprise and delight, each finds in the other a kindred spirit and an equally sharp-witted, curious-minded companion. They are soon spending nearly every moment together, debating religion, conducting scientific experiments or just tramping over the fields.

Though ostensibly retired, the great Holmes is hardly decrepit in body or in mind. Seeing in Mary an unusual intellect and discernment, he soon begins to train her in the study of detection and observation. As the cases they take on together grow in scope, their list of enemies grows ever longer, and Mary comes into her own as a detective to match even the great Holmes himself.

Though the mysteries are well-done, the relationship between Holmes and Mary is the real focus of this novel. As King writes it, their profound, platonic connection is born of a meeting of twin minds that disregards age, gender or societal expectation. It weathers innuendo and intrigue, separation and secrets; and though warm and affectionate, it resists the simplicity of a typical romantic pairing with its insistence on intellectual respect and equality.

Might the mentor and protégée ever become more? Time — and sequels — will continue the tale, but "The Beekeeper's Apprentice" stands on its own as a compelling portrait of a remarkable friendship.

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I am somebody. I am me. I like being me. And I need nobody to make me somebody.
—Louis L'Amour

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To accept ourselves as we are, means to value our imperfections as much as our perfections.
—Sandra Bierig

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- *1 cup unsweetened applesauce*
- *1 cup Splenda Granular*
- *1 egg, or equivalent in egg substitute*
- *1 teaspoon vanilla extract*
- *3/4 cup all-purpose flour*
- *1/2 cup Quaker Quick Oats*
- *1/4 cup unsweetened cocoa powder*
- *1/2 teaspoon baking soda*
- *1/2 cup peanut butter chips*

Preheat oven to 350 F. Spray 8 wells of a muffin pan with butter-flavored cooking spray or line with paper liners. In a large bowl, combine margarine, applesauce and Splenda. Stir in egg and vanilla extract. Add flour, oats, cocoa powder and baking soda. Mix gently just to combine. Stir in peanut butter chips.

Evenly spoon batter into prepared muffin wells. Bake for 20 to 26 minutes or until a toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. Place muffin pan on a wire rack and let set for 5 minutes. Remove muffins from pan and continue cooling on wire rack. Serves 8.

• Each serving equals: 195 calories, 7g fat, 5g protein, 28g carbs, 191mg sodium, 25mg calcium, 2g fiber; Diabetic Exchanges: 2 Starch/Carb, 1 Fat; Carb Choices: 2.

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Good Housekeeping

Walnut Balls

You'll be surprised by how yummy such a simple recipe can be.

- *1 cup (2 sticks) butter, softened, no substitutions*
- *6 tablespoons granulated sugar*
- *1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract*
- *2 cups all-purpose flour*
- *1/8 teaspoons salt*
- *1 bag (8 ounces) walnuts, chopped*
- *1 1/4 cups confectioners' sugar*

1. Preheat oven to 325 F. In large bowl, with mixer on medium speed, beat butter, granulated sugar and vanilla until creamy, occasionally scraping bowl with rubber spatula. Reduce speed to low; gradually beat in flour and salt just until blended, occasionally scraping bowl. Stir in walnuts.

2. Shape dough by rounded measuring teaspoons into 1-inch balls. Place balls, 1 inch apart, on ungreased large cookie sheet. Bake cookies 13 to 15 minutes or until bottoms are lightly browned.

3. Place confectioners' sugar in pie plate. While cookies are hot, with metal spatula, transfer 4 or 5 cookies at a time to pie plate with confectioners' sugar. Gently turn cookies with fork to generously coat with sugar. Transfer cookies to wire rack to cool completely.

4. Repeat with remaining dough and confectioners' sugar. Store cookies in tightly covered container at room temperature up to 1 week or in freezer up to 3 months. Dust with additional confectioners' sugar before serving if you like. Makes about 6 1/2 dozen cookies.

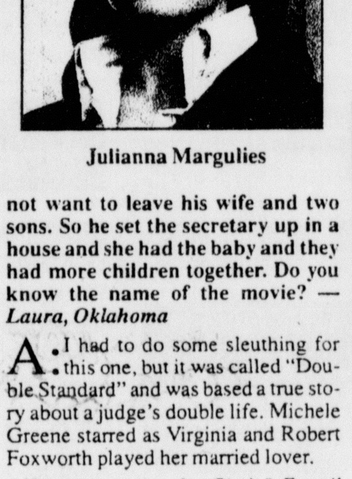
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Fave Foods OF THE FAMOUS

by Steven Austin



Michael Weiss

As three-time U.S. National Men's Figure Skating Champion, Michael Weiss has combined his passion for skating with remarkable athleticism and grace to develop a strong, forceful and unique style that has made him a fan favorite worldwide. An all-around athlete who has a vertical jump of 36 inches and just 6 percent body fat, Weiss also enjoys volleyball, tennis, golf, roller-blading and hockey.

Off the ice, Weiss achieved National Honor Society status in high school and is a member of Phi Beta Kappa (collegiate honor society). He also is active in numerous charitable causes, including the Special Olympics and Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. He married his choreographer, Lisa Thornton, in 1997, and they have two children. One of Weiss' most prized accomplishments is receiving the 1999 Father of the Year award from the National Fatherhood Initiative. Look for him during his worldwide tour. To learn more: www.michaelweiss.org.

Please give us the meal rundown for the 24 hours before a competition.

"I try to have just enough energy in my body to get through the competition. I don't want to be carrying any excess weight around the ice for the four and a half minutes of my program. The morning before competition, it's an apple or banana, and water. That afternoon I have half a turkey sandwich and more water. And the night before competition, it's half a chicken breast, maybe a small serving of pasta, and water. The morning of the competition I have a banana and water. That afternoon it's a PowerBar and more water, all resulting in a nice, empty, trim stomach for the competition!"

Snacks to enjoy with your young children are:

"My children like the standard kids' foods: chicken nuggets, hot dogs, hamburgers. But to get vegetables in their bodies, I get them to eat broccoli with cheese, corn and carrot sticks as a snack. My wife has learned to trick the kids and make spaghetti sauce with vegetables pureed into the sauce, so the kids don't even know they are eating them. Just like any standard house rule: No vegetables, no dessert! Oh, and dessert is an all-fruit Popsicle."

You're on the ice most of the day, so for cold beverages do you prefer cubed or crushed ice?

"I prefer cubed ice, but I think it's because that is what they give me if I order a drink. I think all athletes would say their favorite beverage is water, but if there is no water to be found, I'll drink fat-free skim milk."

Other than the U.S., your favorite country in the world to dine in is:

"Italy. I love pasta and cheese and all of that fattening stuff that is bad for me! Remember ... moderation."

Preferred ice cream flavor:

"Vanilla, and turn it into a milkshake. I'll even give you the recipe. Now, if I started the evening with a pepperoni pizza as a special treat, that would be perfect!"

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MICHAEL'S CHAMPIONSHIP PECAN CRESCENTS AND VERY COOL VANILLA MILKSHAKE

Pecan Crescents

- *1/2 cup butter*
- *3 tablespoons powdered sugar*
- *1/2 teaspoon vanilla*
- *1 cup all purpose flour*
- *3/4 cup finely chopped pecans*

Preheat oven to 350 F. Cream butter, add sugar and vanilla, and blend well. Add flour and mix thoroughly. Mix in pecans. Shape into crescents and place on a cookie sheet. Bake for 15 minutes. Roll in powdered sugar while still warm. Makes 2 dozen.

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- *1 cup Breyer's low-fat vanilla ice cream*
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- *Oreo cookies*

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Trustee Sale No. 74-27501-2 Title Order No. E718896 APN 058-132-13-1 Notice Of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 7/15/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 12/18/2007 at 12:45PM Housekey Financial Corporation as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded on 07/25/2005, Instrument No. 2005-0035625-00 of official records in the Office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, California, executed by Cynthia G. Domasky, an unmarried woman as Trustor, Mers as Beneficiary and Fieldstone Mortgage Company as Lender (Original Lender) and HSBC Mortgage Services Inc., as current Servicer/Lender, WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). At: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: As more fully described in said Deed of Trust The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 612 Stone Boulevard, West Sacramento, CA 95691 Aka: 612 Stone Boulevard West Sacramento, CA 95691. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any shown herein, Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to wit, $266,252.92 (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to the sale. CONDITION OF SALE: The successful bidder will be required to pay county documentary transfer tax, any city tax, and any other applicable taxes or fees (including, but not limited to, the fee for recording Preliminary Change of Ownership report) to the auctioneer at the time of sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Date: 11/24/2007 Housekey Financial Corporation P.O. Box 60145 City of Industry, CA 91716 For Sale Information: 714-573-1965 To notify Trustee of Bankruptcy filings, please fax face page of Bankruptcy Petition to (909) 397-3914 Irma Barrios, Trustee Sales Officer Housekey Financial Corporation may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained may be used for that purpose. P338360 11/28, 12/5, 12/12/2007

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Title Order No.: **30079277** Trustee Sale No.: **43688** Loan No.: **9042147355** APN: **072-242-02-1**. You are in Default under a Deed of Trust dated **2/23/2006**. Unless you take action to protect your property, it may be sold at a public sale. If you need an explanation of the nature of the proceedings against you, you should contact a lawyer. On **12/4/2007** at **10:00 A.M., DSL Service Company** as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust **Recorded March 3, 2006 as Instrument No. 06-0008639-00** of official records in the Office of the Recorder of **Yolo** County, California, executed by: **Vitaliy Andreyev, a single man**, as Trustor. **Downey Savings and Loan Association, F.A.**, as Beneficiary. WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). **At the front entrance to City Hall, 1110 Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA,** all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: **As more fully described in said Deed of Trust**. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: **3800 Kaweah Street, West Sacramento, CA 95691.** The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: **$563,834.30** (Estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Date: 11/7/07 **For: DSL Service Company, as Trustee By: FCI Lender Services, Inc., as Agent** 8180 East Kaiser Blvd., Anaheim Hills, CA 92808 Phone: (714) 282-2424 Sale Information: (714) 282-2430 Vivian Prieto, Vice President FCI Lender Services, Inc. is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. (RSVP# 96706)(11/14/07, 11/21/07, 11/28/07)

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Nov. 20 2007
File No. 2007-1153

The following person is doing business as Aim Cat Consulting, 1797 Linden Road, West Sacramento CA 95691:

Catherine S. Mills, same address..

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 17, 2007.

/s/Catherine S. Mills

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Nov 20 2007
by: /s/, Deputy Clerk
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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The West Sacramento City Council will conduct a public hearing on December 12, 2007 at 7:30 PM or as soon thereafter as possible on the following. The hearing will be held in the council chambers at the Civic Center, 1110 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento. Interested persons are invited to attend. In compliance with the ADA, if you need assistance to participate in this meeting, you should contact the City Clerk at 617-4500. Notification 72 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to assure accessibility to this meeting. City hall is handicapped accessible.

1. Adoption of Resolution 07-95 amending the General Plan and Land Use Diagram from Office to Business Park and first reading of Ordinance 08-2 (formally 07-22) amending the Zoning Map from Professional Office to Business Park and amending the Riverside Centre development agreement to restrict allowable uses in the business park zone for lots 5, 6 and 8 in Riverside Centre.

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Trustee Sale No.: 20070161904000 Title Order No.: 1144358 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 6/8/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 06/13/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0027727-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: Andrey Khripunov, a married man as his sole and separate property, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 12/18/2007 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 3580 Squaw Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691 APN#: 072-121-17-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $377,214.64. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call:

Priority Posting & Publication 17501 Irvine Blvd., Suite One Tustin, CA 92780 714-573-1965 www.prioritypostingcom NDex West, LLC as Authorized Agent Dated: 11/15/2007 NDex West, LLC may be acting as a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. P336982 11/28, 12/5, 12/12/2007

TS No. 07-0066 Loan No. #66 Notice of Trustee's Sale YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 12/7/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction to sell the highest bidder for cash a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a deed to trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the notice of sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: Kae Saelee, a single man and Nicole Saechin, a single woman as joint tenants Duly appointed Trustee: Preferred Default Management, Inc. recorded 12/15/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0062222-00 in book , page of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, Date of Sale 12/27/2007 at 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $146,509.43, estimated Street Address or other common designation of real property: 2625 Meadowlark Circle West Sacramento, CA 95691 A.P.N.: 45-751-12 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. Date: 11/19/2007 Preferred Default Management, Inc. 3920 Birch Street, Suite 104 Newport Beach, California 92660 949-476-7086 Marc R. Tow, President For Sales Information Call: 714-573-1965 P338026 11/28, 12/5, 12/12/2007

Trustee Sale No.: 20070161904146 Title Order No.: 1144441 FHA/VA/PMI No.: NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED 3/25/2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NDex West, LLC, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded on 04/05/2005 as Instrument No. 2005-0015259-00 of official records in the office of the County Recorder of Yolo County, State of California. Executed By: Francisco Ibarra and Maria Ibarra, husband and wife as joint tenants, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check/cash equivalent or other form of payment authorized by 2924h(b), (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States). Date of Sale: 12/18/2007 Time of Sale: 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1331 Hobson Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95605 APN#: 014-531-42-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is $265,510.52. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to sell to be recorded in the County where the real property is located. For Trustee Sale Information Please Call:

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TS # CA-07-97339-DD Loan # 0017083262 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 6/30/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): JOHN W. BROOKS, AN UNMARRIED MAN Recorded: 07/13/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0027208-00 in book XXX, page XXX of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California; Date of Sale: 12/18/2007 at 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento. CA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $302,937.31 The purported property address is: 780 FAIRWAY DR WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95605 Assessors Parcel No. 014-552-20-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Date: 11/25/2007 Quality Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: (714) 573-1965 or Login to: www.prioritypostingcom Reinstatement Line: (619) 645-7711 ext 3704 Shenelle Mason, If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. This notice is sent for the purpose of collecting a debt. This firm is attempting to collect a debt on behalf of the holder and owner of the note. Any information obtained by or provided to this firm or the creditor will be used for that purpose. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. P335047 11/28, 12/5, 12/12/2007

TS # CA-07-97282-DD Loan # 1007157827 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 4/4/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of tbe Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. BENEFICIARY MAY ELECT TO BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE. Trustor(s): ANTONIO ZARAGOZA ORTIZ A MARRIED MAN AS SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY Recorded: 04/10/2006 as Instrument No. 2006-0014072-00 in book xxx, page xxx of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California; Date of Sale: 12/18/2007 at 12:45 PM Place of Sale: At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $243,268.61 The purported property address is: 1821 LAUREL LANE WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691000 Assessors Parcel No. 008-483-07-1 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the Trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. Date: 11/24/2007 Quality Loan Service Corp. 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 (619) 645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: (714) 573-1965 or Login to: www.prioritypostingcom Reinstatement Line: (619) 645-7711 ext 3704 Crystal Todd, If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holder's rights against the real property only. This notice is sent for the purpose of collecting a debt. This firm is attempting to collect a debt on behalf of the holder and owner of the note. Any information obtained by or provided to this firm or the creditor will be used for that purpose. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. P335108 11/28, 12/5, 12/12/2007

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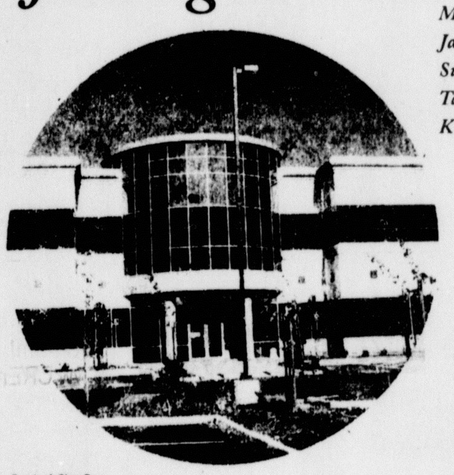
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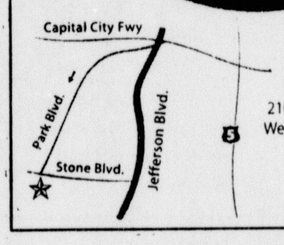
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371-2111

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Local Scene

Kids' Christmas

A Kids' Christmas Party is planned at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9498 on 1708 Lisbon Ave. at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 9. Santa will visit. There will also be a clown and. Children under 10, accompanied by an adult, are welcome. For information, call 371-9126.

Rib dinner, dance

The West Sacramento Moose Family Center invites members & guests to a prime rib dinner & dance on Dec. 8 at 7 p.m., for $13.50 per person for dinner/dance ($5 cover for dance only), at 3240 Jefferson Blvd. RSVP by Dec. 2 to Gene Evenson, 371-7849; or Rich Huber, 997-4688. Country & western dance to follow dinner.

Christmas lights

The residents of West Sacramento's Call Court once again offer to entertain you with their holiday light decorations. Visit by taking Jefferson Boulevard south to Higgins, turn right, then turn left on Mareca to get to Call Court. You're invited to bring an unwrapped child's toy or a can of food to their collection cans – your donaticns will go to a local charity. Residents will be handing out candy canes to visitors from 6-9 p.m. on Dec. 14-16.

Used cooking oil?

Pouring your used cooking oil down the drain can cause sewer systems to back up, warns the City of West Sacramento. You can recycle that used cooking oil leftover from holiday cooking, from Nov. 13 to Jan. 11, at the public works department, 1951 South River Road, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Bring the oil in a sturdy container. No charge for city residents; bring photo I.D. The service will also be available Sat., Dec. 1, from 9 a.m. to noon. For more information, call 617-4850.

Candy for kids

Sacramento West Kiwanis Club (formerly the Kiwanis Club of West Sacramento) has opened its "Kandy Shack" at 1510 Merkley Avenue. The club is selling See's candy to raise funds to take at least 50 children age 9-11 to camp for a week in July.

Art Guild

The West Sacramento Art Guild will meet at 3 p.m. in Room 96 at River City High School on Nov. 27. Visitors are welcome; stop at the school office for a hall pass and directions. For more information, call 374-1810.

Holiday Home Tour

A "Holiday Home Tour" of five decorated private homes and the West Sacramento History Society museum are planned for 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Sat., Dec. 8. Your $15 ticket includes the tour, refreshments and other goodies, and will support children's programs of the West Sacramento Centennial Rotary Club and Little Skippers Auxiliary fo the Children's Home Society. Call Carol Thomas at First Northern Bank at 375-3388 or email cthomas@thatsmybank.com. Or buy the ticket at the door, at the Parkstone Building, 2101 Stone Blvd., at 9:30 a.m. on Dec. 8.

Interfaith

The West Sacramento Interfaith organization will meet at 1 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 7, at the Center for Spiritual Awareness, 1020 West Capitol Ave. Learn about other faith traditions and share your faith experience. Call 798-8724 for information.

Blankets for kids

Sacramento woman Sharon Flaherty is starting a local chapter of "Binky Patrol Comforting Covers for Kids." The national nonprofit organization gives handmade blankets to any child who has experienced trauma or needs to know someone cares – including children born with HIV or drug addictions, or kids who have lost their home due to a house fire or other disaster. The group needs blanket-makers as well as those with organizational skilils. Call Sharon at 206-1765 or email sharoneflaherty@yahoo.com. Visit www.binkypatrol.org.

Old woodstove?

A $250 rebate is still available to anyone replacing a non-certified woodburning stove with an EPA-certified woodstove or with a stove running on gas, propane or pellets. A limited number of rebates are available on a first-come, first-serve basis within the Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District. Visit www.ysaqmd.org or call (800) 287-3650 or (530) 757-3650. The program runs through Dec. 31.

Yard sale

Our Lady of Grace School will hold a yard sale from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Sat., Dec. 8, at the school auditorium, 1990 Linden Road (east of the Nugget center). You're invited to donate your unused stuff (in good, sellable condition). Donations may be dropped off at the school on Dec. 6-7 from 3-7 p.m. Call Ellie at 216-5252 or Danny at 995-5862 for more information. The sale's proceeds will help send eighth graders on a field trip to Washington, D.C.

Lose weight

Lose weight with the TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) group, meeting locally at the Casa Mobile Park clubhouse at 1050 West Capitol Avenue with weigh-in at 5 p.m. and meeting at 5:30 p.m. every Tuesday night. For information, call Carol at 372-8403, Vicki at 988-5151, or visit www.tops.org.

Medicare info

Yolo County District Attorney reports that open enrollment for Medicare lasts through Dec. 31, allowing people with Medicare to enroll in a program for health care and drug coverage. Seniors should be aware that some salespeople use high-pressure tactics – exercise caution when letting someone into your home. For help from the Health Insurance Counseling and Advocacy Program of Northern California (HICAP), contact the West Sacramento Senior Center at 376-8915. You can also get information at www.medicare.gov or www.opa.ca.gov (California Office of the Patient Advocate, 1-866-466-8900.

Parents & kids

"Mother Goose on the Loose" is scheduled for 10:30 a.m. on Saturday mornings at the Turner Branch Library, 1212 Merkley Avenue, and promises stories and other interactive activities for children up to 36 months and their parents and caregivers. You and your small child are invited.

Spare a coat?

News 10 is bringing back its "Coats for Kids" program, asking you to donate coats for cleaning (if needed) by Swanson'ts Cleaners and then distribution to needy kids before winter. Visit news10.net for information on drop-off sites, and to learn how to make a cash donation instead. For other information, call the coat hotline at (916) 321-3362.

How to get there

'You've got places to go. . . how do you want to get there?' asks the Sacramento Area Council of Governments, or SACOG. The organization helps make decisions on regional transportation plans including roads, bike trails and mass transit. You're invited to comment on the "Metropolitan Transportation Plan and environmental impact report. The plan will allocate millions of dollars in funds towards the region's transportation system. Visit www.sacog.org before Dec. 20, or call (916) 321-9000 for more information. A public hearing is scheduled for 6 p.m. on Nov. 29 at 1415 L St., Suite 300 in Sacramento.

Foster & kinship care

"Introduction to Foster Care and Adoption in Yolo County" is planned for 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Sat., Dec. 1, at 25 North Cottonwood Street in Woodland. No reservation required. The class is a "low pressure opportunity" to learn more about adopting infants, children and teens.

Toy 'library'

Did you know West Sacramento has a "toy library," where families can check out up to five toys at a time for two weeks? A $10 annual fee makes you a member. The library is opened weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the first floor of city hall, 1110 West Capitol Avenue. Contact Christine Prater at 617-4620 for information. The toy library also accepts your donated gently-used toys or your monetary contribution (tax deductible).

Amelia Bedelia

Children are invited to a special celebration at 11 a.m. "till the cookies run out" on Sat., Dec. 1, at the Turner Library, 1212 Merkley Avenue. Children's book character Amelia Bedelia will be part of a skit. There will also be Santa, crafts and cookie-decorating. No charge. Sponsored by the West Sacramento Friends of the Library. For information, call 375-6465.

Athletic boosters

The River City High School Booster Club wants you. Meet new people, support RCHS athletics and help provide scholarships for graduates. Visit the club at 6:30 p.m. on Wed., Dec. 5, in the school's teachers lounge.

Polynesian Dance

Learn traditional steps of Polynesian dance, at the 7-8 p.m. Thursday evening classes continuing at the Alyce Norman Elementary School cafeteria (1200 Anna Street). Call (916) 708-7347 or email leannb@cityofwestsacramento.org.

Holiday decor

The Friends of Meals on Wheels plan 'Dickens in the Valley,' a tour of holiday-decorated homes, on Sat., Dec. 1, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. The tour will feature at least six beautiful Woodland homes dressed in holiday splendor – including the famed Gable Mansion. $25/person, or $20/person for a group of 12 or more. Shuttle service offered between homes. Complimentary coffee & treats. Proceeds support the program that brings food to local seniors. For information, call (530) 662-7035.

Solar cooking

'A Day in the Sun,' an 18-minute program on solar cooking, can be seen on Charter Cable TV Channel 21 daily at 6:30 and 11:30 p.m.

Leisure showcase

Various leisure and recreational opportunities will all be on display for you at the Leisure Horizons Showcase, 1-4 p.m. on Friday, January 4, at city hall. Call (916) 708-7347 for information or to sign up your leisure service for a booth.

Library closed

All branches of the county library system will be closed Monday, Dec. 3, for staff training.

Holiday bazaar

The West Sacramento Senior Center plans a holiday bazaar from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Dec. 12 at city hall. The center plans its annual "Christmas Lights Trip" the same day; sign up by calling 373-5819.

World AIDS Day

Various observances are planned for World AIDS Day on December 1. The "Names Project" AIDS quilt is on display through Dec. 6 at West Sacramento City Hall, 1110 West Capitol Avenue. Various other events are planned at the UC Davis campus; call Becky Fein at (707) 529-1614. Visit www.unaids.org for more information on AIDS and World AIDS Day.

Flu shots

The Yolo County Health Department recommends flu shots, and will sponsor a free shot clinic for anyone 6 months old or older. Visit the Russian Baptist Church at 1000 Sacramento Avenue in West Sacramento between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Sat., Dec. 8, for a free flue vaccine shot. People especially at risk from complications from the flu include senior citizens, pregnant women, young children, residents of nursing homes and other care facilities, health care workers, those with chronic medical conditions, and caretakers of kids or the elderly. For information on the clinic, call (530) 666-8645. For information about the flu, visit www.cdc.gov/flu.



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